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#### Wednesday, July 18, 2018

# Heritage Health, Dwight, Nears **Half-Century of Service**

by Tom Tock Heritage Health: Therapy & Senior Care at 300 East Mazon Avenue in Dwight will celebrate the 50th anniversary of its founding with an Open House Sunday, July 22, from 1 to 3 p.m. A welcoming address will be at 1:30 p.m.

It was November of 1968 when thirty stockholders in Dwight Continental Manor, Inc., were finally in place.

History books tell us that an attempt to organize a nursing home in Dwight began in 1967, when a steering committee first met.

It was November of 1970, however, before groundbreaking took place, and February 19-20 of 1972 before an open house was held welcoming area residents to the facility.

Property of the former East Side Grade School on Mazon Avenue had been purchased, bonds were issued in the amount of \$200,000, and construction began on what was estimated to be a \$652,000 facility.

One of the first feasibility reports about the proposed nursing home indicated a cost of \$9.25 per day per resident would be required to operate the home successfully.

Among the 30 stockholders in the original corpora-



GEORGE BURK, long-time resident of Dwight, turned the first shovel of dirt at the site of Dwight's new nursing home on East Mazon Avenue Sunday, November 29, 1970, at 2 o'clock. Others, next to Mr. Burk, left to right: Herbert Voigts, president of the Dwight Continental Manor, Inc.; Miss Mary Hoffman, secretary; Albert Smith, treasurer, and Del Hancock, vice president.

tion was Mayor Robert Stevenson. The original corporation name of Dwight Continental Manor, Inc. remains in use. At first, it was leased to and managed by Commercial Management of Sioux City, Iowa.

Heritage Health in Dwight is now leased to, and managed by, Heritage Operations Group, Bloomington, which manages a number of other nursing facilities throughout Illinois.

Herbert Voigts of Dwight is president of the nursing home corporation, and Del Hancock of Dwight, vice president. They have served in that capacity since the beginning of what is now Heritage Health of Dwight.

Other original officers of the corporation included Mary Hoffman as secretary; Albert Smith, treasurer; and Richard Oughton, assistant treasurer.

Rita Quigley has been Administrator of the nursing home since November of 2013. She was also employed at Heritage Health for 14 years, 1983-1997, first as a Certified Nurses Aide and then as Activity Director.

Quigley issued the following statement on the occasion of the upcoming aniversary:

> We are known in the (continued on page 3)

## **Dwight Village Officials Buzzing about Bees** July 9 Board Actions -

by Madelyn Fogarty madelynfogarty@yahoo.com Honey bees and their

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proposed hive atop the nel that leads outside so the 10,000 bees. However,

Mayor Requests Sheriff's Dept. Check For, Fine Unregistered Golf Carts, etc.

habits were a topic of discussion when the Dwight Village Board of Trustees met on July 9. The topic was of interest and importance due to a request by Brian Galbreath, owner of Umpossible Mead, which is preparing to open in Dwight's downtown area this fall. Galbreath is hoping to place a bee hive on the roof of his meadery.

A meadery is a winery that produces honey wines or meads. While mead is made from honey, the one duce and sell on the premises. However, the honey from the hive could be incorporated into specific batches for a "hyper local" mead or used for individual honey sales as a novelty item at the meadery. Eventually, Galbreath hopes to have an observation hive on the inside of the building for customer's to be able to view the actual working of a bee hive.

"An observation hive is an indoor glass hive where you can actually see the bees working and that has a tun-

### **LSC Communications Donates** to Dwight EMS



Earl McCoy, Vice President of Operations at LSC Communications Dwight facility, presented a \$500 donation to Dwight's Emergency Medical Services Director, Al Metzke, during the July 9 session of the Dwight Village Board of Trustees. The donation was given in appreciation for the work of the local EMS team and the services it provides. LSC Communications, Dwight's largest employer, is celebrating 50 years in the community this September.

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County Will of the Beekeepers Association. "I think that would be really neat for anyone visiting the meadery to be able to see the bees actually working."

But, a perception of bees as aggressive, stinging creatures that could pose a problem has raised concern about the request. On June 28, Dwight's members of Committee Ordinance reviewed a request to add beekeepers to the municipal code thereby allowing beekeeping in the community. However, committee members were opposed to allowing beekeeping inside the village limits. Ms. Mikuzis joined Galbreath at the meeting to help give insight into the habits of honey bees and relieve concerns about having a hive at the business. Mikuzis also informed the board that beekeeping inside town limits was not unusual and several communities in Will County, includ-Romeoville and ing Bolingbrook, do allow beekeeping in the community.

"A bee's main objective is to produce honey. They do not go after people. Wasps on the other hand definitely do. There is a big difference between bees and wasps," explained Mikuzis.

Mikuzis went on to explain the habits of a honey bee and the honey bee community saying that within the bee hive there are around

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have different jobs. When the foraging honey bees actually do leave the hive, they go out and straight up, spreading out in small handfuls and moving to whatever plants they are interested in, usually within a two to fivemile radius. They are not after people.

"If you do see them in your garden it's a plus, because it means they are pollinating everything," she explained.

Hives are inspected every 10 to 14 days with honey harvesting taking place yearly towards the end of July and again, possibly, around September or October depending on the strength of the hive. By mid-October, the bees are tucked away for the winter and barely seen until they come out again in the spring.

Questions regarding loud noises disturbing the bees or foods attracting them, such as during the annual Harvest Days celebration, were raised. According Mikuzis, these are not concerns with honey bees as they have a home (the hive) and food (the honey) to go home to, again explaining the main interest of the honey bee is producing honey and protecting the queen bee. Honey bees, with the exception of the queen, can only sting once and then they die - so stinging is not (continued on page 2)

All six Trustees of the Village of Odell were present for the two-hour June 11 Board meeting held in the Council room. Acting Mayor Brian Mills presided.

Minutes of the May 14 Meeting and Special Regular Board Meeting, and the May 23 Special Ball Park meeting were approved.

Iris Thorne furnished Jim Rebholz' YTD Fund Summary and Treasurer's Report for the month ending May 31. Bank balances for the month ending May 31 are as follows: Odell Checking \$40,503.50 Illinois Funds Gen Fund MM 114,907.02 Illinois Funds MFT Fund MM 69,896.73 Odell MFT Checking 501.13 Odell Tourism 30,419.98 Checking Odell Water 105,458.59 Savings Odell General CDs 232,086.41

After the Treasurer's Report was moved to be approved and seconded, the six Trustees also moved to approve.

All due bills for the Village and Tourism plus the Between Meeting Paid Bill list were approved.

Trustee Mills moved to retain the reimbursement of \$19,762.72 due the Village from IDNR for maintenance, trees, benches and pavilion materials for the Trail by holding it in the Trail Fund. This was approved by the Council.

Trustee Jamie Johnson moved to purchase materials before the end of June to build two pavilions on the trail. Trustee Mark Tissiere seconded it, and it was approved.

Brian Hoffmeyer was present, representing the Livingston County Sheriff's Department. He reported a total of 50 calls within the Village in the month of May.

Mayor Mills requested that the patrol check for, and fine, any unregistered golf carts, etc., operating in the Village.

the Finance During Committee report, Mayor Mills requested that the committee update the employment policy.

Again, discussion took place on the amendment to the Water Ordinance. Trustee Mills moved to charge a flat rate of \$10.92 per 1,000 gallons of water used. The rate shall increase automatically 3% each January 1, commencing January 1, 2019, and a debt charge of \$25 per utility billing cycle shall be charged. The debt charge will be reviewed by the Board at the January 2019 Board meeting and every January thereafter. Trustee Bullard seconded, with all approving by roll call vote. with one dissenting vote from Tissiere.

All Trustees agreed to approve the Planning Commission's recommendation of rezoning 102 S. West St. to C1 District.

Mayor Mills reported that he will need to investigate further the steps necessary to request the trains no longer blow their horn going through town, and the issue was tabled.

Attorney Legner confirmed there is no approval required on the request from Tony Noonan to subdivide his lot, and Noonan will be advised.

The Working Budget was reviewed, with no action required at this time; Ace In The Hole's proposal for spray patch was accepted; and Ryan Biernat reported on issues at the sewer plant, and stated he will start wastewater classes soon.

the hive. As a precautionary

measure, Galbreath said he

would have an epinephrine

pen (EpiPen) on site which

could be used in an emer-

gency situation to treat an

the information into consid-

eration and the Ordinance

Committee is scheduled to

revisit the request at a meet-

ness, Earl McCoy, Vice

President of Operations at

Dwight facility, presented a

\$500 donation to EMS

Director Al Metzke in appre-

ciation for the work of the

local EMS team and the

services they provide. LSC

Dwight's largest employer

and will be celebrating 50

years in the community this

dent Tom Tock raised a

question about the current

condition of the West Main

Street park area indicating

the downtown area, in many

places, is "pretty over-

grown" and wondered who

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#### The Paper

## FOR THE RECORD

#### **Tickets Issued** by Dwight Police

July 6, 2018 - Cheryl Klingenberg, 55, Cortland, drvg under influ of alcohol; Dominique R. Sistrunk, 22, Peoria, 50-30.

July 8, 2018: Logan M. Graham, 18, Dwight, speeding 26-34 mph over limit; Steven D. Davis, 26, Essex, driving 21-25 mph above limit.

Persons in the police report are innocent of any charges until proven guilty in a court of law.

**35 Written Warnings Issued by Dwight Police** One, improper passing; nine, stop sign violations; 25, speeding.

**POLICE BLOTTER** 2018 - July 5 - July 12 July 6, 2018, 9:57 p.m., Dwight Police were called to

area of Rt. 17 and John. A person was arrested for DUI. July 10, 2018, 3:45 p.m., A male walked into DPD to advise the license plate from his 2-axle trailer was missing



#### Weekly Ambulance Runs by Dwight EMS

July 6, 2018: 1:27 p.m., Spencer, medical, DOA; 5:00 p.m., Morris, medical, Morris; 9:36 p.m., Prospect, medical, St. James.

July 7: 7:26 a.m., Linden, medical, Morris; 8:27 a.m., Union, trauma, refusal, mutual aid from Gardner. July 8: 1:49 a.m., Main,

medical, Morris; 6:31 p.m., Mazon, medical, Morris. July 9: 11:44 a.m., North

*Temps - 2018* 

July 5 – high  $87^\circ$ , low  $65^\circ$ , .57" precip. July 6 – high 77°, low 51° July 7 – high 79°, low 52° July 8 – high 83°, low 58°

July 9 – high  $87^\circ$ , low  $66^\circ$ July 10 - high 87°, low 59° July 11 – high 86°, low 60° One Year Ago – July 18, 2017 high 81°, low 54°



#### **ASSUMED NAME PUBLICATION NOTICE**

Public Notice is hereby given that on July 2, 2018, a certificate was filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Livingston County, Illinois, setting forth the names and postoffice addresses of all the persons owning, conducting and transacting business known as Dwight Dance and Fitness, located at 325 E. Mazon Ave., Dwight, IL 60420.

Dated this 2nd day of July, 2018. Kristy A. Masching

Livingston County Clerk

#### **ASSUMED NAME PUBLICATION NOTICE**

Public Notice is hereby given that on June 13, 2018, a certificate was filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Livingston County, Illinois, setting forth the names and post-

St., assist, refusal; 12:04 p.m., Limestone, fire, disregard, mutual aid to Limestone; 3:51 p.m., Mazon, trauma, Morris; 6:16 p.m., Spencer, medical, Morris, mutual aid from Dwight Fire.

July 10: 8:13 a.m., Chicago, medical, Morris; 3:18 p.m., Union, medical, Morris; 4:15 p.m., Waupansie, medical, mutual aid from Dwight Fire.

July 11: 5:40 a.m., Campus, trauma, Riverside; 10:30 a.m., ALDI Dr., trauma, Morris; 10:52 a.m., Bannon Dr., medical, lift assist.

July 12: 2:31 a.m., Bannon, medical, Morris; 11:49 a.m., Mazon, medical, Morris; Main, medical, Morris; 2:17 p.m., Union, fire, mutual aid to Dwight Fire.

> **Possible Drowning** Death **In Illinois** River

The Grundy County Coroner's office, along with Department the of Conservation, is investigating a possible drowning in the Illinois River.

Coroner Callahan states he was notified of a body being spotted in the River just west of the area where a man had gone missing on July 8. Callahan states the body was recovered during a search by the Wilmington Fire Department Water Recovery Unit.

Callahan pronounced 47year old Baldur Kirsch, Jr., of Wilmington, dead at 9:45 a.m. on July 10.

Coroner Callahan states there are conflicting details at this time as to how Mr. Kirsch actually went into the water; therefore there are no further details surrounding his death at this time.

An autopsy was completed July 10, confirming the cause of death to be drowning

The death remains under investigation by the Coroner's office and DNR. There were several agencies

### Dwight Village Officials Buzzing about Bees July 9 Board Actions

"That is what happens when you don't take care of an area - you invite vandalism," stated Tock.

Kevin McNamara, Village Administrator, indicated the former Impact Dwight, which is now combined with the Dwight Economic Alliance, maintains responsibility for this area and will meet at 5:30 p.m. on August 20. The DEA will be contacted.

Trustee Jim Mixen also raised a question with regard to whether the village has taken action with regard to several burned out buildings in town. Mixen asked if property owners had been contacted and suggested daily fines be initiated to encourage owners to take action with these dangerous and unsightly properties. The Village Administrator is going to reach out to the property owners.

Dwight residents are reminded that blowing grass clippings into village streets when mowing is not allowed and violators could receive a substantial fine. If any resident does accidently blow grass into the street, they are asked to then promptly blow

the grass from the street and gutters to help keep the storm drains clear.

The board also:

· approved payment of 7/9/18 bills totaling \$70,311.05.

• a Resolution to purchase a 12 month \$500,000 CD with TIF money designated for the downtown East Main Street project which is being put off until next year.

Mayor Jared Anderson was absent from the July 9 session with Trustee Justin Eggenberger filling in as mayor pro tem. Trustees Randy Irvin, Jerry Curtis, Marla Kinkade, Jim Mixen and Jennifer Johnson were all in attendance.

**Upcoming** Committee meetings include an Ordinance Committee meeting at 5 p.m., July 19, and a Services Committee meeting at 5:30 p.m. on July 23. Both are in the Public Services Complex lower level meeting room.

The next meeting of the Dwight Village Board of Trustees will be at 6:30 p.m., Monday, July 23, also in the Public Services Complex. Meetings are open to the public.

## **Mautino Escapes Further Inquiry**

by Tom Tock Did Illinois Auditor district while Frank served as a state representative?

Was it another error when Mautino and his campaign committee spent another \$150,000 in an undocumented manner at a bank?

Those questions will 10 code

a hearing that was ordered by the 4th District Appellate Court on an appeal from complainant David Cooke, former Dwight resident, who had asked that the substance of his complaints against the Mautino spending be reexamined.

A previous tie-vote by the election committee, which temporarily ended the inquiry, caused Cooke's appeal.

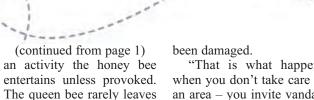
At that time a fine of \$5,000 was administered to Mautino and his campaign committee for failing to furnish documents requested by the board, but the fine was never paid.

The committee disbanded when Mautino was named to

General Frank Mautino err when he and his former campaign committee spent more than \$225,000 over a 16year period at a single service station in his legislative

said Tock. "We invite people to visit our town to see our beautiful new town that has been repaved and shaped Tock also cited a bench in

holds in Dwight Township probably never be answered Wednesday, July 25, at 1 now that the Illinois State p.m. at the Pioneer Gothic Board of Elections tie-voted Church, 201 N. Franklin, July on whether Mautino's campaign com-The pantry is provided by mittee had violated the electhe Dwight Ministerial tion four Association and Dwight Republicans "Yes;" four Democrats "No." The tie vote took place at



office addresses of all the persons owning, conducting and assisting in the search transacting business known as Crusoe, located at 313 W. efforts. Oak St., Unit B, Fairbury, IL 61739.

Dated this 13th day of June, 2018. Kristy A. Masching

## **Gas Prices For This Week**

Gas prices are up in the U.S. 2.5 cents from last week's average of \$2.863 and down 1.1 cents from last month's average of \$2.899.

Illinois prices are up 8 cents from last week's average of \$2.866 and up 4.8 cents from last month's average of \$2.898.

The lowest price in the area is Morris at \$2.66 with Streator close at \$2.70. The highest price outside of the Chicago area is Kankakee \$2.88 with Dwight and Herscher at \$2.81.

City/Village	July 18	July 11
Dwight	\$2.81	\$2.71
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Seneca	\$2.79	\$2.67
S. Wilmington	\$2.79	\$2.79
Streator	\$2.70	\$2.76
Odell	\$2.79	\$2.79
Saunemin	\$2.79	\$2.76
Cullom	\$2.72	\$2.72
Pontiac	\$2.74	\$2.76
Gardner	\$2.79	\$2.79
Braceville	\$2.73	\$2.73
Mazon	\$2.73	\$2.73
Morris	\$2.66	\$2.69
Herscher	\$2.81	\$2.79
Kankakee	\$2.88	\$2.83
Chicago	\$3.58	\$3.57
Illinois	\$2.84	\$2.96
U.S.	\$2.89	\$2.87

Sources: GasBuddy.com and U.S. Energy Information Administration.

Gasoline price data collected by The Paper and brought to you by Steve's Tire.



Queen of hearts **RAFFLE Prize Pool \$13,000 OPEN TO THE PUBLIC** Drawing Every Thursday at 7 p.m. Food Available • Casual Dress As Always ~ Serving Lunch Every Day Dinner: Wed., Fri. and Sat. Nights **Dwight Country Club** • 815-584-9825 **Essex Lions** PANCAKE BREAKFAST

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his 10-year term as Auditor General and campaign records were destroyed.

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The Illinois Commerce Commission (ICC) reminds all Illinoisans who are planning a digging project, regardless of how small, that State law requires you to contact the One-Call Notice system know as "JULIE" or 8-1-1 "Chicago" (formally known as DIGGER) before starting your excavating project. Doing so will result in having all underground utility lines located and marked on the property to avoid damage or injury.

The Illinois Underground Utility Facilities Damage Prevention Act requires all excavators to make a locate request notice not more than 14 days nor less than 48 (exclusive hours of Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays) in advance of the digging project, which includes demolition projects.

Making a locate request is as simple as dialing 8-1-1. Call center agents are available 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Locate requests, which can be made at no cost, can also be completed by visiting the website JULIE. Once a request is made, each utility will send a trained technician to your property to mark the location of underground utility lines using flags or paint with the appropriate color codes.

Please visit the Illinois Commerce Commission website to learn more about our Gas Pipeline Safety Program and our Illinois One-Call Enforcement Efforts.









OFFICERS of HERITAGE HEALTH in Dwight include, from the left, Treasurer Gary Neville; Vice President Del Hancock; President Herb Voigts; Secretary Janice Lauritzen; and Administrator Rita Quigley.

## Heritage Health, Dwight, Nears Half-Century of Service

(continued from page 1) community and surrounding towns to provide the same excellent care that the DCM established upon its creation. It is such a pleasure to work with staff that are so dedicated and caring as the staff here at Heritage Health Dwight. We look forward to many more successful years."

Janice Lauritzen has served as corporation secretary at Heritage Health for seven years. Gary Neville has been treasurer since 2014.

The 92-bed nursing home has a resident population of about 75. It currently has 122 employees.

While the home provides long term care, there has



Louise Davis

recently been an increase in residents who require only "rehab to home care." LOUISE DAVIS, 102, is Heritage Health's eldest resident. She has been at Heritage Health in Dwight since February of 2017.

Louise described the nursing home as "nice, very pleasant . . . and the food is quite good."

She entered the Navy in November of 1942 as a nurse and was sent to Hospital Unit No. 10 in Oahu, Hawaii, near Pearl Harbor. Her unit grew to 4,000 beds treating wounded Marines and Navy personnel from WWII action in the Pacific.





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7/9 - Rudy & Judy Piskul	e, Dwight	\$20
7/10 - Virginia Malone, D	wight	\$20
7/11 - Lucy Locke, Dwigh	nt	\$20
7/12 - Katie Turner, Odel	I	\$30
7/13 - Lucy Locke, Dwigl		
7/14 - Bruce & Gloria Bos	ssert,Dwight	\$50
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### Village of Odell www.Odell-IL.com Special Trustee BOARD MEETING MONDAY, JULY 23 @ 6 P.M. AGENDA: WATER RATES AND DEBT CHARGE

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PAULA CLEARY & SHARON WALL

HERITAGE HEALTH - Therapy and Senior Care as it looks today. A celebration of 50 years of serving others through rehab-to-home and long-term care is set for Sunday, **July 22.** The Paper photos

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### VILLAGE OF DWIGHT - FYI

Bicycle riding, rollerblading and skateboarding are prohibited on the sidewalks on East and West Main streets. Rollerblading is also prohibited on Rt. 47 (Union St.), Rt. 17 (Mazon Ave.), and Old Rt. 66. All of the above require obeying the traffic laws.

All animals must be leashed and the village does have a "pooper scooper" law. Violations can result in a \$75 fine. Low Cost Advertising

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The Wwight Continental Manor invites you to a... 50-year Commemorative Event!



In 1968, Dwight Continental Manor decided to build their own local nursing home for their aging loved ones. In 1992, they joined forces with Heritage Operations Group and are still running strong today! The Dwight Continental Manor invites you to a 50<sup>-</sup>year commemorative open house at **Heritage Health located 300 E. Mazon, Ave., Dwight, IL.** 

## Sunday, July 22<sup>nd</sup> @ 1-3pm

\*Welcome Address begins 1:30pm • Cake, Cookies & Light Refreshments Served!

Public Welcome! For event details please call (815) 584-1240 or aspears@heritageofcare.com by July 19th!

### Mykala Cockerham on Dean's List at Indiana U.

Mykala R. Cockerham, daughter of Keith and Martha Cockerham of Dwight, was recognized on the College of Arts and Sciences Executive Dean's List at Indiana University last semester.

Students who have demonstrated academic excellence, completed at least 12 graded credit hours in the semester, and have a minimum semester GPA of 3.7, are named to the Dean's List.

### Mazon United Methodist Men Meet

The July 9 meeting of the MUMM was called to order by the president, Dick Ely. Also attending were: Pastor Karen Fabian: secretary/historian, Randy Lowery; and the treasurer, Forrest Mc-Cormack.

Minutes from the last meeting were read and accepted, as was the treasurer's report.

\$464 was collected from the on-going recycling fundraiser since the last meeting, for which the MUMM is very thankful.

President Ely moved that \$200 be given to the MVK Food Pantry and all approved.

Pastor Fabian shared a reading entitled, "Seven Key Reasons Your Church Attendance May Be Declining."

The group will meet next on Monday, October 8, at 6 p.m. at the MUMC.

The meeting, which began at 6 p.m., adjourned at 6:14.

### **RENT THIS SPACE and Watch Your Business Grow!**

The Paper 584-1901

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## **Getting Outside Is Good for You: 5 Benefits**

Summer is here and families will spend more time outside dining, playing, relaxing, and gardening as the weather improves. And while they may enjoy being outside, they may not know that getting outside is also good for their health. The Outdoor Power Equipment Institute (OPEI) outlines five health benefits of getting outside:

• Reason #1: Your lawn can make you happier! Our stress levels fall within minutes of seeing green spaces. Knowing and experiencing nature makes us generally happier, healthier people.

• Reason #2: Getting dirty is good for you! Mycobacterium vaccae in soil mirrors the effect on neurons that Prozac provides. Give your kids a pair of gardening gloves and have them work with you in your green spaces for a hefty dose of Vitamin People who spend time gar- receive state grants dening and have direct contact with soil feel more Fire Marshal has announced relaxed and happier.

natural settings may be under the Small Equipment widely effective in reducing Grant Program. In all, more attention deficit/hyperactiv- than 100

AQ9 WEEKDAY Place SPECIALS Monday - Friday Breakfast 5 - 11 a.m. $2/^{\$}IO$ Lunch II a.m. - 2 p.m. <sup>/\$</sup>I2 Dinner 4 p.m. - Close /\$20 All Dinners Come With Sides, Vegetable & Dessert

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ity disorder (ADHD) symptoms in children. Children ing. gain attention and working memory benefits when they are exposed to greenery.

• Reason #4: Living landscapes help people and pets be healthier. Playing outdoors increases fitness levels and builds healthy, active bodies. Research also shows that children reap numerous health, social and

personal benefits from

spending time outside play-

• Reason #5: Your lawn produces lots of oxygen and cleans the air too. Fifty square feet of grass generates enough oxygen each day for a family of four, and reduces the "code red" effect since grass removes pollutants from the air we breathe.

Outdoor living spaces offer great health benefits to

us. Trees, shrubs, grass and flowering plants are integral to human health. They provide a place for children and pets to play and directly contribute to mental and physical well-being.

For more information please visit www.saveliving landscapes.com.

References available upon request.



### Notes from Rep. Tom Bennett

The Office of the State that five local fire depart-• Reason #3: Exposure to ments have received funding departments statewide were awarded a share of the \$2 million in grant funds which were announced this week. The grant program is intended to help fire departments and not-for-profit ambulance services with purchases of small firefighting or ambulance equipment.

> This year, five departments in our area were the Otto Fire Protection in Iroquois County, the Hoopeston Fire Department in Vermilion County, the Secor Fire Protection District in Woodford County and the Reddick Community Fire Protection District in Livingston County.

> My congratulations to these departments, and my thanks to their members and all our fire and emergency

services personnel for all that they do every day. How much do we owe?

As of the time of this writing, the State of Illinois owes \$6,556,209,356 in unpaid bills to state vendors. This figure represents the amount of bills submitted to the office of the Comptroller and still awaiting payment. It does not include debts that can only be estimated, such as our unfunded pension liability which is estimated to be more than \$100 billion. New state Supreme Court

justice seated The Illinois Supreme Court has a new justice. Justice Charles Freeman announced his retirement this year before the conclusion of his 10-year term. Under the State Constitution, whenever there is a vacancy before a term has expired, the other justices of the Court appoint a new justice to fill the seat until it comes up for election. This year, the justices selected the honorable P. Scott Neville as Freeman's replacement. Justice Neville is a graduate of Washington University School of Law in St. Louis. Prior to his appointment to the state's high court. Justice Neville served for 14 years as an appellate judge.

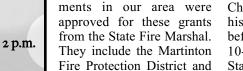
In order to achieve some geographic balance on the state Supreme Court, the justices are chosen from five districts throughout the state. Justice Neville will represent the First District, which is made up entirely of Cook County. The Chief Justice is Justice Lloyd Karmeier, of Nashville, which is located in the southernmost district in the state.

#### **Did You Know?**

On Tuesday night, the best players in Major League Baseball gathered at Nationals Park in Washington for the annual All-Star game. The very first MLB All-Star game was played here in Illinois. Comiskey Park in Chicago, home of the White Sox, hosted the inaugural midsummer classic the same summer as the kickoff of the Chicago World's Fair in July 1933. The American League won the game 4-2 on the strength of a home run by Babe Ruth, the first to be hit in an All-Star game.

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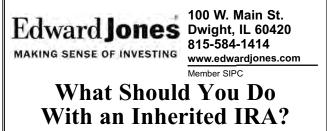
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Individual Retirement Accounts (IRAs) are quite popular. At the end of 2017, investors owned nearly \$9 trillion in IRA assets, according to the Investment Company Institute, a trade association of U.S. investment companies. Given these numbers, it probably wouldn't be surprising if you inherited an IRA someday. But what should you do with it?

First of all, you'll need to be aware of some basic rules. If your parent, or anyone other than your spouse, leaves you a traditional IRA – one in which contributions are typically tax-deductible and earnings can grow tax-deferred - you can transfer the money into an "inherited IRA," from which you'll need to take at least a minimum amount of money - technically called a "distribution" - each year, based on your life expectancy. These distributions are taxable at your regular income tax rate. If you've inherited a Roth IRA, you also must take these minimum payouts, but the amounts won't count as taxable income, because your parents, or whoever left you the IRA, already paid taxes on the contributions that went into it. (To make sure you fully understand all the guidelines on distributions and taxation of inherited IRAs, consult with your tax advisor.)

It's also important to understand how your inherited IRA will fit in to your overall financial strategy. Consequently, you'll need to address these questions:

How much should I take out each year? As mentioned above, you must take a distribution of at least a minimum amount from your inherited IRA each year - if you don't, you may be subject to a 50% penalty on the amount you should have taken. But you can take out more than the minimum. In deciding how much to take, you'll need to evaluate a few factors. First, of course, is whether you need the extra money to help support your regular cash flow. It's possible you have other pools of income from which to draw, and, in some cases, it may be advantageous for you to tap these sources first. Another consideration is taxes - if you've inherited a traditional IRA, the more you take out each year, the bigger your tax bill may be.

Should I keep the same investments? Inheriting an IRA doesn't mean you're stuck with the original account owner's investment choices. You can change the investments to align with your goals and risk tolerance, both of which may change over time.

How does the inherited IRA fit in with my overall financial strategy? You'll need to consider how your newly inherited IRA fits in to the "big picture" of your financial strategy. Are you adding redundancies? If you keep the inherited IRA largely intact, how will it affect your current investment mix? Could the added income from required distributions change your retirement calculations or even enable you to retire earlier? You may want to consult with a financial professional about these and other questions related to your inherited IRA.

The person who left you an IRA worked hard for that money and thought enough of you to pass it on. Consequently, you'll want to respect this inheritance – and get the most out of it for as long as you can.



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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS, JPMOR-BANK. CHASE GAN NATIONAL ASSOCIATION ., Plaintiff, v. STEVE R. HUTCHINS, AKA STEVE HUTCHINS; JULIE HUTCHINS, AKA JULIE UNKNOWN HUTCHINS; **OWNERS** AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, Defendants, Case No. 2018CH35

The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, notice is hereby given you, Julie A. Hutchins, AKA Julie Hutchins, Unknown Owners and Non-Record Claimants, that the said suit has been commenced in the Circuit Court of the 11 Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois by the said plaintiff against you and other defendants, praying for the foreclosure of a certain Mortgage conveying the premises described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 10 and the East 16 feet of Lot 9 in Block 9 in the Village of Forrest, Livingston County, Illinois.

227 East Watson Street Forrest, IL 61741

26-26-03-305-009

Now, therefore, unless you, Julie A. Hutchins, AKA Julie Hutchins, Unknown Owners and Non-Record Claimants, and the said above named defendants. file your answer to the complaint in said suit or otherwise make your appearance therein, in the office of the Clerk of the 11 Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois, on or before August 17, 2018, default may be entered against you at any time after that day and a Judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of said Complaint. Shanna L. Bacher (6302793) MANLEY DEAS KOCHALS-KI LLC

Attorneys for Plaintiff One East Wacker, Suite 1250, Chicago, IL 60601 Phone: 312-651-6700; Fax: 614-220-5613

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FIVE STUDENTS FROM DTHS and six adults headed to Europe June 21 for a 13-day adventure. Travelers enjoyed visitng Rome, Sorrento, Pompeii, Greece and many other landmarks along the way. They arrived back home on July 3.

## **Dwight Students Visit Rome and Greece**

Two years ago, Amy DeMarse and Stephanie Flott got the wild idea to take a group of students to Europe. After several meetings and phone calls with Explorica, a student travel company, the trip became a reality. On June 21, 2018, a group of five students and six adults headed off for a 13 day adventure in Rome and Greece. Travelers who attended the trip were Kathryn Berta, Brandon Brant, Michele Brant, Chloe Butterbrodt, Amy DeMarse, Stephanie Flott, Jillian Frauli, Nick Kester, Mike Ruder, Chase Travers, and Chapel, Pam Travers.

Once the group arrived in Rome, they were joined with a group of students from Texas and Kentucky. All of them were led by their Tour Leader, Guiseppe Colombara, who provided them with lots of information about all of the sites on the trip. Due to some travel delays at the Switzerland airport, the group jumped right in and saw Rome in a day. While in Rome, they visited such landmarks as the Vatican Museum, Sistine

Saint Peter's Basilica, the Colosseum, the Forum, and Trevi Fountain.

From there the group headed to Sorrento with a stop at Pompeii on the way. Then, the group boarded a 24 hour ferry boat to Greece. While in Greece, the group visited several archeological ruins in Mycenae and Epidaurus while traveling to Athens. In Athens, the group visited several sites including the site of the 2004 Olympics, the Acropolis, and the Parthenon.

After a day exploring

Athens, the group set sail on a 4 day Greek Island Cruise. The cruise included stops at the islands of Patmos, Samos, Mykonos, Crete, and Santorini. The cruise was a very relaxing way to end the trip with some beach time, lots of time spent enjoying the sun on the deck of the ship, and, best of all, many beautiful sunsets over the Aegean Sea.

group visited Delphi for one last site of archeological ruins before heading back home on July 3, 2018.



## **Gardner Village Board Meets**

#### by Don Phillips

The Gardner Village Board met in regular session Monday evening and opened with approval of the bills including the payment of the Grundy County Sheriff's Department bill for \$52,000. The board discussed and approved the annual appropriations ordinance for the next fiscal year. Commissioner Dick Hileman noted the appropriations ordinance is a wish list rather than funds that will be spent. The board discussed the donation of property to the village by the CMIA group, including 5.5 acres on the northwest corner of Gardner Rd and IL Route 129. Hileman reported the only stipulation was that the village provide a letter stating the fair market value of the property, which the owner estimated to be around \$800,000. Hileman further noted he estimated the cost to the village to complete the appraisal, survey, and fees to be under \$6,000. Responding to a question from Commissioner Rob Wolf, Hileman confirmed the property does not include the pond. The property is currently appraised as farm land. The board approved the action on a motion from Commissioner Terry Jensen and second from James Riley. Mayor Once back on land, the Mike Serena advised the board he will be researching the grocery operators who may be interested in coming into the village on the property being donated.

Hileman advised the board has until August 1, 2018 to pass an ordinance to control utility companies access to public right-of-way within the village. Hileman stated a bill was signed by Governor Rauner to allow the access unless municipalities pass an ordinance to control the access. Hileman will be renewing or moving a \$585K CD next month. Hileman suggested to the board that the Village should include costs incurred by the village in court cases regarding property and other ordinance violations. Commissioner James Riley reported he will be sending photos of three properties to Village Attorney Scott Belt to proceed to court. Riley also reported there was graffiti on the pump house in the park over night and he is looking at lighting options for the area.

Commissioner Rob Wolf received a quote for \$58,000 for repairs on the water tower. The project will be let for bid rather than accepting the quote.

> Take time to smell the flowers.





about us, and see if Kiwanis is something that is a calling to you, please feel free to join us at one of our meetings. We meet the first Monday of every month, 6 p.m. at the Dwight United Methodist Church.

**Kiwanis** 

On July 7, 2018, The Dwight Kiwanis Club had our first fundraiser, to start building funds for our new Club. We

would like to say THANK YOU to all who supported us,

in our fundraising event. The Kiwanis Club goal is to

raise money to do community service projects to help our community be a better place for our kids. We are looking

forward to becoming more involved in Dwight. If you

would like to come to one of our meetings, find out more

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### Exotic Animals in Cullom July 28

Coal Black Exotics, based in Dwight, will be at the Cullom Beckman Memorial Library Saturday, July 28, at 10:00 a.m.

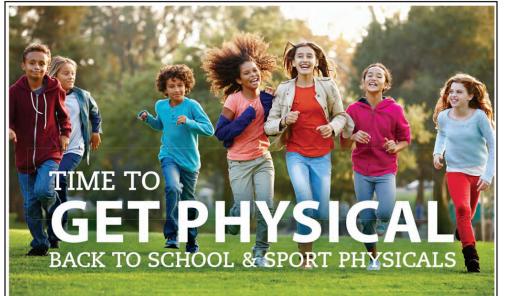
They will showcase their exotic animals as well as their knowledge of them.



### Accolade Healthcare of Pontiac to Hold Carnival

On Sunday, July 29, the front lawn of Accolade Healthcare of Pontiac will be turned into a fun Carnival. The activities start at 1 p.m. and will conclude at 4 p.m. Donations will be taken to enter the Carnival with the proceeds benefitting the Alzheimer's Association.

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### Ashley Fox Makes ISU Dean's List

The College of Education at Illinois State University recently congratulated Ashley Fox for earning dean's list honors during the spring 2018 semester.

Fox's grade point average placed her among the top ten percent of those students majoring within the college.

Ashley is the daughter of Sue and Aaron Fox, Emington.

> Justin Fox Named to Elmhurst College Dean's List Justin Fox earned Dean's

List honors from Elmhurst College for the spring term with his excellent academic performance.

Students who, during a term, have attained a grade point average of 3.75 or above are placed on the Dean's List.

Justin is the son of Sue and Aaron Fox, Emington.

### VBS at Saunemin UMC July 22-26

All children and youth ages four to 18 are invited to attend Vacation Bible School at Saunemin United Methodist Church, July 22-26, from 6:00-8:00 p.m. each day.

The theme is Treasure Seekers Exploring God's Promises; and the Mission: Our Conference, Our Kids.

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Bishop S. John Roth with Pastor Salser the day of her installation.

### St. Peter's Lutheran Church Welcomes New Pastor

Christine "Chrissy" Salser was installed as pastor of the Servants United Parish at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Dwight on Sunday, July 8.

Pastor Salser attended Wartburg Theological Seminary in Dubuque, Iowa and received her Master of Divinity in 2016. She was ordained at Zion Lutheran Church, Rockford, her home church, June 22.

Bishop S. John Roth of the Central Southern Illinois Synod officiated at the installation and was assisted by Pastors Ed Hudelson and Jim Davis of the Servants United Parish. Pastor Jim Reents represented the Synod office.

There are six Lutheran congregations in the Servants United Parish that are served by three pastors. Each pastor is assigned two primary congregations. The congregations are located in Dwight, Cornell, Chenoa, Anchor, Gibson City and Sibley.

Pastor Salser will be the primary pastor for St. Peter's Lutheran, Dwight, and Community Lutheran Church in Cornell.

### Retirement Breakfast at LSC Communications August 9

In honor of the site's 50th anniversary in September, the Dwight Management-Team of LSC Communications (previously RR

cations (previously RR Donnelley) is hosting an appreciation breakfast for their Dwight Plant's Retirees – set for Thursday,

In honor of the site's 50th August 9, at the Dwight niversary in September, Plant at 9:00 a.m.

If you would like to attend, RSVP by phone or email to Denise McElroy at 815-584-4202 or denise.mce lroy@lsc.com no later than July 31.

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### **OBITUARIES**

#### Ruth E. Smith

DWIGHT – Ruth E. Smith, 85, of Dwight passed away on her birthday at 12:00 a.m., Friday, July 13, 2018 at Heritage Health in Dwight.

Ruth was born July 13, 1933 in Kewanee, a daughter of Howard and Mildred Hulstrom Cox. She married Roy Lee Smith in July of 1954. He passed away May 2, 2018.

Surviving are daughters: Linda (Valentino) Bravo of Chester; Sharon (Franklin) Smith of Dwight; Melanie (Gary) Bacino of Rockford; Laurie (Barry) Wilken of Tucson, Arizona; and Lisa (Tom) Fitzsimmons of Dixon; 13 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; three great-great-grandchildren; a brother, Jerris (Mary Kay) Cox of Terreverde, Florida; and a sister, Sandy Ready of Dixon.

Tommy brother-in-law, (Sharon) Koger of Seneca; a sister-in-law, Geraldine Knack of Minonk; numerous nieces and nephews; and her

beloved dog, Stormy. death by her parents; brother, John Cox; brothers-inlaw, Jim Ready, Jean Smith; sisters-in-law, Verna Sexton and Mary Womack; a granddaughter, Brittany Wilken; and two children, John and

Lynn Smith. She was born and raised in Kewanee and attended area schools. She enjoyed collecting cookbooks.

Ruth was a loving mother, grandmother, and will always be remembered for her work ethic and her storytelling ability. She will be greatly missed.

A graveside service was held at 1 p.m., Monday, July 23. at Daysville Cemetery in Oregon, Illinois.

Memorial contributions in Ruth's name may be made to the family.

Hager Memorial Home is Also surviving are a in charge of arrangements nieces and nephews; many and this obituary may be great-nieces and greatviewed and condolences nephews; many great-greatsent to the family at hagerme nieces and great-greatmorial.com

### Keith T. Lamb

CABERY - Keith T. Lamb, 90, of Pontiac and formerly of Cabery, passed away at 7:45 p.m., Saturday, July 7, 2018 at OSF St. James Medical Center in Pontiac.

Keith was born October 15, 1927, a son of Francis and Lola Meyer Lamb of Cabery. In recent years he was a resident of Good Samaritan Home in Pontiac. He is survived by many

cousins.

Keith graduated from Reddick High School. He served in the U.S. Army, stationed in Germany during the Korean War. He was employed by Nicor's Herscher plant for more than

Howard A. Fredensborg

DWIGHT – Howard A. Fredensborg, 92, of Dwight passed away at 2:55 p.m., Friday, July 13, 2018 at Heritage Health in Dwight. Cremation rites have

been accorded. There will be no services.

40 years before his retirement.

He enjoyed visiting with family and friends, reading, was an avid sheep exhibitor, and was a supporter of the Kankakee County Fair.

A Mass of Christian Burial at 11 a.m., Thursday, July 12, in Sacred Heart Chapel, Campus, was celebrated by Father Chris Haake.

Burial: Sacred Heart Catholic Cemetery, Campus. Visitation was at 10 a.m.

Thursday before the Mass. Memorials may be made

to the Cullom Junior Fair. You may sign his guest-

book at: calvertmemorial.com

Ohio. He was preceded in death by his parents; brothers: Chris, Elmer, and George;

sisters: Marie Peterson and Ester Kepplinger; and a niece, Shirley Peterson.

Burial will take place in Peter's Lutheran Church in his family. Dwight and worked for the Joliet Arsenal before he Beverly retired.

### Grace M.J. Johnson

She was also preceded in Johnson, 86, of Dwight passed away Thursday, July 12, 2018 at Joliet Community Hospice in Joliet.

> Cremation rites have been accorded.

> Burial will be in Oaklawn Cemetery, Dwight, at a later date.

Grace was born in Shakespeare, Ontario May 29, 1932, daughter of John D. and Edna M. Raegle Fisher. She married Rev. Philip R. Johnson June 29, 1969 in Chicago. He passed away June 17, 2002.

She is survived by son, Peter Johnson; grandson, Michael (Heidi) Cramer of Woodridge; sisters-in-law, Shirley Fisher, Christine Fisher, and Robin Jaruszewski; brothers-in-law, Larne Sippel, Russell Yausie, Norbert Jaruszewski; many

### Jack S. Meece

KANKAKEE Jack S. Meece, 79. Kankakee of passed away Wednesday, July 11, 2018 at his home. He was born

July 24, 1938 in Lexington, son of

Delno and Lura Stephens Meece. Jack married Beverly Pedersen September 8, 1962 in Dwight.

He graduated from Reddick High School, and the University of Illinois with a degree in Civil Engineering. He was the owner of Meece Engineering in Bradley for 26 years until his retirement.

Jack served in the National Guard for six years. He was a member of National Society of Professional Engineers, Society Illinois of Professional Engineers, American Lutheran Church, 100 Club of Kankakee County, Kankakee Valley Boat Club and the Manteno American Legion.

He enjoyed fishing, hunt-He was a member of St. ing, traveling and being with

Surviving are his wife Meece

DWIGHT - Grace M.J. nephews; a dear friend, Iris Wilder; and her faithful friend, Echo.

> She was also preceded in death by her parents; brothers: Farkes Fisher, Donald Fisher, Alexander Fisher, and George Fisher; sisters: Catherine Yausie, Christine Sippel and Mary White; sister-in-law, Amy Fisher; brother-in-law, Dr. Ross White; and nephew, John Jaruszewski.

> Grace was a member of St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Dwight. She enjoyed playing euchre, taking care of her yard, and visiting with friends at the local senior dinners.

> Memorials may be made to the Livingston County Humane Society or St. Peter's Lutheran Church.

Online condolences may be made at hagermemorial.c

Hager Memorial Home in Dwight is in charge of arrangements.

Kankakee;

daughter, Shari (Ron) Fiets of Kankakee; two granddaughters, Paityn Fiets of New York City, New York, and Morgan Fiets of Kankakee; а

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brother, James (Sandi) Meece of Floyds Knob, Indiana; two sisters, Gail (Steve) Clapp of Cabery and Gretta (Bob) Giacometti of brother-in-law, Cabery; Jerry Joyce of Reddick; sister-in-law, Sandra (Duane) Morbitzer; and many nieces and nephews.

Along with his parents, he was preceded in death by two sisters and brother-inlaw, Lynell and Don McGinnis and Janet Joyce.

Cremation rites have been accorded.

Memorial visitation was held Sunday, July 15, from 1 p.m. until the 3 p.m. memorial service at Schreffler Funeral Home in Kankakee.

Memorials may be made to American Lutheran Church or American Heart Association.

You may sign his guestook at www.schrefflerfune

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### HOME RUN DERBY

We are in what a lot of people would consider, the dog days of summer. It's hot, the days are long, you sweat when you're outside for more than 5 minutes. It's definitely summer.

With the dog days of summer come the most summer thing of them all, (second to the Hot Dog Eating Contest of course.) the home run derby. I don't know if it's because there are a lot of home run derbys that I can pinpoint back to a certain vacation, or a certain life event.

Summer is usually when things are happening.

There was one for example, when Bobby Abreu, then with the Philadelphia Phillies, hit what seemed to be a never-endingamount of homeruns, and ended up winning the home run derby. For that one, we were on vacation in Ohio. I think we went to King's Island and the Louisville Slugger museum, all kinds of places, but I remember that homerun derby vividly.

Then there are other ones, like Josh Hamilton, when he hit endless homeruns as well. That one I was just watching from my living room at the time, but I still remember it like it was last week.

It got me thinking about comparing it to other all-star weekends, or weeks.

Since there are 4 major sports, and two of them are the NHL and the NFL, and both of their all-start weekends are relatively lackluster, that leaves just the NBA and the MLB and their all-star events.

Each of these sports has a big event to go along with the allstar game itself. Baseball being the home run derby, and then then basketball's slam dunk contest.

Given what I've just said about the nostalgia of the home run derby, that gives it major points in the battle. Coupled with that, there's just something very enjoyable about watching people effortlessly hit baseballs 450 feet, the dunk contest has kind of plateaued do to the fact there are only so many dunks that can be performed.

Homeruns are timeless, they've been a thing for over a 100 years, and barring them banning homeruns, will be a thing for another 100 years.

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Aaron J. Boma 2016 ISU Graduate

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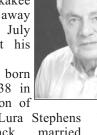
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Oaklawn Cemetery, Dwight, at a later date.

Howard was born August 24, 1925 in Campus, a son of Christian and Karstense Anderson Fredensborg.

Surviving are a niece, Betty Robinson of Braceville, and a nephew, Gary Fredensborg of Cincinnati,

Hager Memorial Home is in charge of arrangements, and this obituary may be viewed and condolences sent to the family at: hagermemorial.com

More obituaries appear on page 12.

Letters to the Editor in The Paper should be limited to 250 words. We welcome your thoughts.

#### TAKE NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS CASE NO. 2015TX1

To: James Baker; Spouse of James Baker; Barbara Baker a.k.a. Barbara Chapin; Spouse of Barbara Baker a.k.a. Barbara Chapin; Estate of Robert Baker, deceased; Unknown Heirs/Devisees of Robert Baker, deceased; Internal Revenue Service; United States Attorney General; Joseph Benson; Brooke Baker; Kristy Masching, Livingston County Clerk; Persons in occupancy or actual possession of said property, unknown owners or parties claiming any right, interest or title in the described real estate:

Property located at: 211 N Prairie Ave, Dwight, IL Property Index No. 05-05-04-453-002 Tax Sale Certificate No. 2014-0057

This property was sold on November 17, 2015 for delinquent general taxes for the year of 2014. A Petition for Tax Deed for this property was filed on May 18, 2018.

Your right to redeem the property from the sale will expire on November 6, 2018. If you fail to redeem by that date, the court may enter a judgment granting petitioner a tax deed.

This matter is set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this county in Pontiac, Illinois on November 14, 2018 at 2 P.M. before Judge Travers, or whomever may be sitting in his or her stead.

JICTB, INC., Petitioner

Angela L. Tucker, Esq. JICTB, Inc. 2503 Galen Dr. Champaign, IL 61821

RICHARD C. WAGNER, Deceased. **CLAIM NOTICE** 

Notice is given of the death of RICHARD C. WAGNER, 103B Susan Drive, Dwight, Illinois, who died June 14, 2018, at Meadows Mennonite Retirement Community, Chenoa, Illinois.

Letters of Office were issued to the following person as Independent Executor, namely: EDITH ANN WAGNER, 103B Susan Drive, Dwight, Illinois 60420, whose attorneys are CAUGHEY, LEGNER, FREEHILL, EHRGOTT & MANN, LLP, 204 North Main Street, Pontiac, Illinois 61764.

Claims may be filed on or before the 11th day of January, 2019. Any claim not filed on or before that date is barred. Claims may be filed in the Office of the Clerk of this Court at Livingston County Law & Justice Center, Pontiac, Illinois 61764, or claims may be filed with the Personal Representative or both. If filed with the Clerk, the claimant must, within ten (10) days, mail or deliver a copy of the claim to the Personal Representative and to his attorney and file with the Clerk proof of such mailing or delivery.

Dated: July 11, 2018

EDITH ANN WAGNER 103B Susan Drive Dwight, IL 60420

CAUGHEY, LEGNER, FREEHILL, EHRGOTT & MANN, LLP Attorneys for Independent Executor 204 North Main Street Pontiac, IL 61764 (815) 842-1112

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 11TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT LIVINGSTON COUNTY, PONTIAC, ILLINOIS

WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A. PLAINTIFF,

-vs-

GERALD READ; KRISSANDRA READ; VILLAGE OF SAUNEMIN, AN ILLINOIS MUNICIPAL CORPORATION; DEFENDANTS

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#### NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

Public Notice is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment entered in the above entitled matter on January 26, 2018; Tony Childress, Sheriff, 844 West Lincoln Street, Pontiac, IL 61764, will on August 22, 2018 at 10:00 AM, at Livingston County Law and Justice Center, 110 North Main Street, Pontiac, IL 61764, sell to the highest bidder for ten percent (10%) at the time of sale and the balance within twenty-four (24) hours, the following described premises situated in Livingston County, Illinois.

Said sale shall be subject to general taxes, special assessments or special taxes levied against said real estate and any prior liens or 1st Mortgages. The subject property is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title or recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition.

Upon the sale being held and the purchaser tendering said bid in certified funds, a receipt of Sale will be issued and/or a Certificate of Sale as required, which will entitle the purchaser to a deed upon confirmation of said sale by the Court.

Said property is legally described as follows:

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Residential

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### **OBITUARIES**

#### Ruth E. Smith

DWIGHT – Ruth E. Smith, 85, of Dwight passed away on her birthday at 12:00 a.m., Friday, July 13, 2018 at Heritage Health in Dwight.

A graveside service will be held at 1 p.m., Monday, July 23, at Daysville in Oregon, Cemetery Illinois.

Ruth was born July 13, 1933 in Kewanee, a daughter of Howard and Mildred Hulstrom Cox. She married Roy Lee Smith in July of 1954. He passed away May 2, 2018.

Surviving are daughters: Linda (Valentino) Bravo of Chester; Sharon (Franklin) Smith of Dwight; Melanie (Gary) Bacino of Rockford; Laurie (Barry) Wilken of Tucson, Arizona; and Lisa (Tom) Fitzsimmons of Dixon; 13 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; three great-great-grandchildren; a brother, Jerris (Mary Kay) Cox of Terreverde, Florida; and a sister, Sandy Ready of Dixon.

Also surviving are a morial.com

brother-in-law, Tommy (Sharon) Koger of Seneca; a Johnson, 86, of Dwight sister-in-law, Geraldine Knack of Minonk; numerous nieces and nephews; and her Community Hospice in beloved dog, Stormy.

She was also preceded in death by her parents; brother, John Cox; brothers-inlaw, Jim Ready, Jean Smith; sisters-in-law, Verna Sexton and Mary Womack; a granddaughter, Brittany Wilken; and two children, John and Lynn Smith.

She was born and raised in Kewanee and attended area schools. She enjoyed collecting cookbooks.

Ruth was a loving mother, grandmother, and will always be remembered for her work ethic and her storytelling ability. She will be greatly missed.

Memorial contributions in Ruth's name may be made to the family.

in charge of arrangements great-nieces and greatand this obituary may be nephews; many great-greatviewed and condolences nieces and great-greatsent to the family at hagerme

40 years before his retire-

He enjoyed visiting with

family and friends, reading,

was an avid sheep exhibitor,

and was a supporter of the

### Keith T. Lamb

ment.

CABERY – Keith T. Lamb, 90, of Pontiac and formerly of Cabery, passed away at 7:45 p.m., Saturday, July 7, 2018 at OSF St. James Medical Center in Pontiac.

Keith was born October 15, 1927, a son of Francis and Lola Meyer Lamb of Cabery. In recent years he was a resident of Good Samaritan Home in Pontiac. He is survived by many

cousins.

Keith graduated from Reddick High School. He served in the U.S. Army, stationed in Germany during the Korean War. He was employed by Nicor's Herscher plant for more than

Howard A. Fredensborg

DWIGHT – Howard A. Fredensborg, 92, of Dwight passed away at 2:55 p.m., Friday, July 13, 2018 at Heritage Health in Dwight. Cremation rites have

been accorded. There will be no services.

Kankakee County Fair. A Mass of Christian Burial at 11 a.m., Thursday, July 12, in Sacred Heart Chapel, Campus, was celebrated by Father Chris

Haake. Burial: Sacred Heart Catholic Cemetery, Campus.

Visitation was at 10 a.m. Thursday before the Mass.

Memorials may be made to the Cullom Junior Fair.

You may sign his guestbook at:

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Ohio.

He was preceded in death by his parents; brothers: Chris, Elmer, and George; sisters: Marie Peterson and Ester Kepplinger; and a niece, Shirley Peterson.

Burial will take place in Peter's Lutheran Church in his family. Dwight and worked for the Joliet Arsenal before he Beverly retired.

### Grace M.J. Johnson

passed away Thursday, July 12, 2018 at Joliet Joliet.

Cremation rites have been accorded.

Burial will be in Oaklawn Cemetery, Dwight, at a later date.

Grace was born in Shakespeare, Ontario May 29, 1932, daughter of John D. and Edna M. Raegle Fisher. She married Rev. Philip R. Johnson June 29, 1969 in Chicago. He passed away June 17, 2002.

She is survived by son, Peter Johnson; grandson, Michael (Heidi) Cramer of Woodridge; sisters-in-law, Shirley Fisher, Christine Fisher, and Robin Jaruszewski; brothers-in-law, Larne Sippel, Russell Yausie, Norbert Jaruszewski; many Hager Memorial Home is nieces and nephews; many

### Jack S. Meece

KANKAKEE Jack S. Meece, 79, Kankakee of passed away Wednesday, July 11, 2018 at his home.

July 24, 1938 in Lexington, son of

Delno and Lura Stephens Meece. Jack married Beverly Pedersen September 8, 1962 in Dwight.

He graduated from Reddick High School, and the University of Illinois with a degree in Civil Engineering. He was the owner of Meece Engineering in Bradley for 26 years until his retirement.

Jack served in the National Guard for six years. He was a member of National Society of Professional Engineers, Society Illinois of Professional Engineers, American Lutheran Church, 100 Club of Kankakee County, Kankakee Valley Boat Club and the Manteno American Legion.

He enjoyed fishing, hunt-He was a member of St. ing, traveling and being with

Surviving are his wife Meece

DWIGHT - Grace M.J. nephews; a dear friend, Iris Wilder; and her faithful friend, Echo.

> She was also preceded in death by her parents; brothers: Farkes Fisher, Donald Fisher, Alexander Fisher, and George Fisher; sisters: Catherine Yausie, Christine Sippel and Mary White; sister-in-law, Amy Fisher; brother-in-law, Dr. Ross White; and nephew, John Jaruszewski.

> Grace was a member of St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Dwight. She enjoyed playing euchre, taking care of her yard, and visiting with friends at the local senior dinners.

> Memorials may be made to the Livingston County Humane Society or St. Peter's Lutheran Church.

Online condolences may be made at hagermemorial.c

Hager Memorial Home in Dwight is in charge of arrangements.

Kankakee;

daughter, Shari (Ron) Fiets of Kankakee; two granddaughters, Paityn Fiets of New York City, New York, and Morgan Fiets of Kankakee; а

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brother, James (Sandi) Meece of Floyds Knob, Indiana; two sisters, Gail (Steve) Clapp of Cabery and Gretta (Bob) Giacometti of brother-in-law, Cabery; Jerry Joyce of Reddick; sister-in-law, Sandra (Duane) Morbitzer; and many nieces and nephews.

Along with his parents, he was preceded in death by two sisters and brother-inlaw, Lynell and Don McGinnis and Janet Joyce.

Cremation rites have been accorded.

Memorial visitation was held Sunday, July 15, from 1 p.m. until the 3 p.m. memorial service at Schreffler Funeral Home in Kankakee.

Memorials may be made to American Lutheran Church or American Heart Association.

You may sign his guestook at www.schrefflerfune

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OF THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

RICHARD C. WAGNER, Deceased.





### HOME RUN DERBY

We are in what a lot of people would consider, the dog days of summer. It's hot, the days are long, you sweat when you're outside for more than 5 minutes. It's definitely summer.

With the dog days of summer come the most summer thing of them all, (second to the Hot Dog Eating Contest of course) the home run derby. I don't know if it's because there are a lot of home run derbys that I can pinpoint back to a certain vacation, or a certain life event.

Summer is usually when things are happening.

There was one for example, when Bobby Abreu, then with the Philadelphia Phillies, hit what seemed to be a never-endingnumber of home runs, and ended up winning the home run derby. For that one, we were on vacation in Ohio. I think we went to King's Island and the Louisville Slugger museum, all kinds of places, but I remember that homerun derby vividly.

Then there are other ones, like Josh Hamilton, when he hit endless home runs as well. That one I was just watching from my living room at the time, but I still remember it like it was last week.

It got me thinking about comparing it to other all-star weekends, or weeks.

Since there are 4 major sports, and two of them are the NHL and the NFL, and both of their all-star weekends are relatively lackluster, that leaves just the NBA and the MLB and their all-star events.

Each of these sports has a big event to go along with the allstar game itself. Baseball being the home run derby, and then basketball's slam dunk contest.

Given what I've just said about the nostalgia of the home run derby, that gives it major points in the battle. Coupled with that, there's just something very enjoyable about watching people effortlessly hit baseballs 450 feet, the dunk contest has kind of plateaued due to the fact there are only so many dunks that can be performed.

Home runs are timeless, they've been a thing for over 100 years, and barring them banning home runs, will be a thing for another 100 years.

I choose the long ball. Not to mention, there are two Cubs participating, and I think Kyle Schwarber might hit 400 home runs.

Aaron J. Boma 2016 ISU Graduate

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He was born

Oaklawn Cemetery, Dwight, at a later date.

Howard was born August 24, 1925 in Campus, a son of Christian and Karstense Anderson Fredensborg.

Surviving are a niece, Betty Robinson of Braceville, and a nephew, Gary Fredensborg of Cincinnati,

Hager Memorial Home is in charge of arrangements, and this obituary may be viewed and condolences sent to the family at: hagermemorial.com

More obituaries appear on page 12.

Letters to the Editor in The Paper should be limited to 250 words. We welcome your thoughts.

#### TAKE NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS CASE NO. 2015TX1

To: James Baker; Spouse of James Baker; Barbara Baker a.k.a. Barbara Chapin; Spouse of Barbara Baker a.k.a. Barbara Chapin; Estate of Robert Baker, deceased; Unknown Heirs/Devisees of Robert Baker, deceased; Internal Revenue Service; United States Attorney General; Joseph Benson; Brooke Baker; Kristy Masching, Livingston County Clerk; Persons in occupancy or actual possession of said property, unknown owners or parties claiming any right, interest or title in the described real estate:

Property located at: 211 N Prairie Ave, Dwight, IL Property Index No. 05-05-04-453-002 Tax Sale Certificate No. 2014-0057

This property was sold on November 17, 2015 for delinquent general taxes for the year of 2014. A Petition for Tax Deed for this property was filed on May 18, 2018.

Your right to redeem the property from the sale will expire on November 6, 2018. If you fail to redeem by that date, the court may enter a judgment granting petitioner a tax deed.

This matter is set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this county in Pontiac, Illinois on November 14, 2018 at 2 P.M. before Judge Travers, or whomever may be sitting in his or her stead.

JICTB, INC., Petitioner

Angela L. Tucker, Esq. JICTB, Inc. 2503 Galen Dr. Champaign, IL 61821

**CLAIM NOTICE** Notice is given of the death of RICHARD C.

WAGNER, 103B Susan Drive, Dwight, Illinois, who died June 14, 2018, at Meadows Mennonite Retirement Community, Chenoa, Illinois.

Letters of Office were issued to the following person as Independent Executor, namely: EDITH ANN WAGNER, 103B Susan Drive, Dwight, Illinois 60420, whose attorneys are CAUGHEY, LEGNER, FREEHILL, EHRGOTT & MANN, LLP, 204 North Main Street, Pontiac, Illinois 61764.

Claims may be filed on or before the 11th day of January, 2019. Any claim not filed on or before that date is barred. Claims may be filed in the Office of the Clerk of this Court at Livingston County Law & Justice Center, Pontiac, Illinois 61764, or claims may be filed with the Personal Representative or both. If filed with the Clerk, the claimant must, within ten (10) days, mail or deliver a copy of the claim to the Personal Representative and to his attorney and file with the Clerk proof of such mailing or delivery.

Dated: July 11, 2018

EDITH ANN WAGNER 103B Susan Drive Dwight, IL 60420

CAUGHEY, LEGNER, FREEHILL, EHRGOTT & MANN, LLP Attorneys for Independent Executor 204 North Main Street Pontiac, IL 61764 (815) 842-1112

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 11TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT LIVINGSTON COUNTY, PONTIAC, ILLINOIS

WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A. PLAINTIFF,

-vs-

GERALD READ; KRISSANDRA READ; VILLAGE OF SAUNEMIN, AN ILLINOIS MUNICIPAL CORPORATION; DEFENDANTS

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#### NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

Public Notice is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment entered in the above entitled matter on January 26, 2018; Tony Childress, Sheriff, 844 West Lincoln Street, Pontiac, IL 61764, will on August 22, 2018 at 10:00 AM, at Livingston County Law and Justice Center, 110 North Main Street, Pontiac, IL 61764, sell to the highest bidder for ten percent (10%) at the time of sale and the balance within twenty-four (24) hours, the following described premises situated in Livingston County, Illinois.

Said sale shall be subject to general taxes, special assessments or special taxes levied against said real estate and any prior liens or 1st Mortgages. The subject property is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title or recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition.

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available, along with chips,

baked beans, applesauce or

cole slaw, dinner roll, cook-

ies, and a beverage. A fee

Carry-outs will be avail-

### 'Herscher Style' **BBQ Chicken Dinner July 28**

Herscher United Methodist Church will host their "Herscher Style" BBQ Chicken Dinner in Village Park Saturday, July 28, from

Half- and quarter-orders able and everyone is welof chicken dinners will be

**Livingston County 4-H Fair** The

applies.

come.

88th Livingston 4-H Fair will be this week starting Wednesday, July 18 and continuing though Saturday, July 21. The fairgrounds is located 21.

at 18142 4-H Park Rd, Pontiac.

The fair will have activities for all ages to enjoy

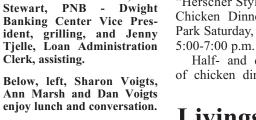
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Annual including Carnival rides all four days of the fair, a rodeo on July 18, Ag Olympics, July 19, Demo Derby, July 20 and Tractor Pulls on July

> Come out and see what Livingston County 4-Her's have accomplished this year.

#### **PNB Dwight Banking Center OPEN HOUSE Winners**

PNB Veta Lampert---Gas grill Carolyn Curtis---PNB rolling cooler Cris Lehman----PNB folding bag chair Lori Bowman----PNB 30 oz. Ritic tumbler



Below, PNB Director Chip Eastman talks with Justin Eggenberger of Dwight.

DWIGHT BANKING CEN-TER of Peoples National

Bank of Kewanee held a free lunch and a meet and greet with the PNB board members

July 13. At left, Mitch Boston,

PNB Human Resources, Eric





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Wednesday, July 18, 2018



THE GSW ORANGE MUSTANG TEAM came in second place in the end of season tournament held for the Tri County Baseball League on June 23 in Elwood. Pictured, front row, from left, are Aiden Mack, Aiden Bodine, Chris Titus, Aiden Himes, Cooper Biros; middle row, Roman Faletti, Bret Manzello, Owen Vitko, Tony Vyce, Brock Enerson, Ayden Christians; back row, Coach Rick Enerson and Coach Mark Vyce. Submitted photo.



### 2018 **Redbirds Softball Tryouts**

5th-8th grade girls interested in school softball are invited to attend softball tryouts on Monday, July 23 and Tuesday, July 24. Tryouts will take place at the DTHS softball field from 8:00-10:00 a.m. The softball Parent Meeting will be at the field on Wednesday, July 25 at 6:00 p.m. For questions or concerns regarding the tryouts, please contact Coach Butterbrodt, Coach Trainor or the school office. As a reminder, all student-athletes interested in participating in any sport at Dwight must have a current physical on 7:30 a.m. A fee applies. The file. Any individual who race will start at 9:00 a.m., does not have a current sports physical, will not be able to participate in tryouts/practices in any form.

**Baseball Tryouts** Boys' baseball tryouts for the 2018 fall season will take place on Monday, July 30 and Tuesday, July 31.

Tryouts are open to all 6th-8th grade boys interested and will be at the DTHS baseball field from 3:30-

5:30 p.m. For questions or concerns regarding the tryouts, please

Braceville United Methodist Church will be holding a 5K Run/Walk in Mazonia-Braidwood State Fish and Wildlife Area Saturday, July 21.

Enter on Huston Rd., between Mitchell St. and Route 53.

Registration begins at just inside the entrance.

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Facebook page at www.face

says

As a reminder, all stu-

contact the school office.

### **Braceville UMC Hosting** 5K Run/Walk July 21

2018 Redbird

Eight trophies and 72 medals will be awarded, and everyone who crosses the scenic finish line will receive a wristband "Braceville UMC 5K – I did it!."

If you have any questions, contact Pastor Karen at 815-483-9343 or e-mail bracevilleumc@aol.com. You can also visit their

Tuesday, July 10 Pontiac vs. Prairie Cent. Fr./So. -

Pontiac's summer baseball season came to a close Tuesday night as the Indians FR/SO squad scored five runs in the top of the 7th to knock off Prairie Central, at PC, 11-9.

Alex Trevino picked up the

## **PTHS INDIANS BASEBALL**

inning.

win for the Indians, throwing two and two-thirds in relief, Pontiac bats recorded 13 allowing three hits and one run, hits on the night with Thomas while striking out six. George leading the way with three hits. Smith took the start for the Trevor Sexton, Mateo Casillas, Indians, throwing three and a Logan Barnett and Brayden third, striking out three and Livingston each had two hits, while Corey Gesell and allowing no runs on only two hits. Kaden Thomas also saw Brenden Bohm had one hit mound time, throwing one each.

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### **Jim Enger Tournament** at Garrett Park July 20-22

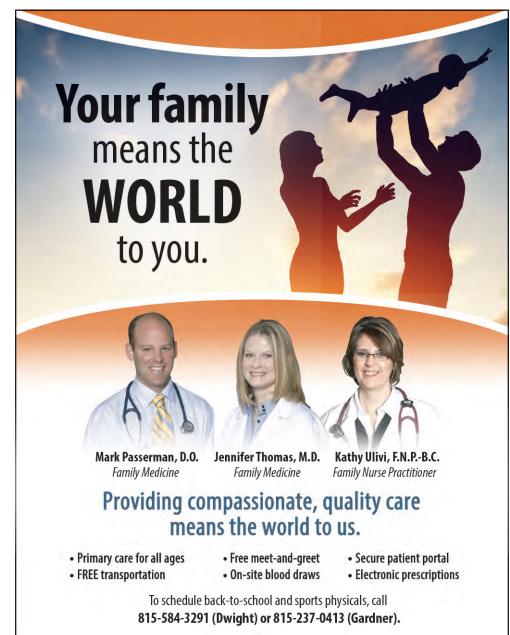
The Jim Enger Baseball Tournament is set for Friday through Sunday, July 20-22, for boys ages eight through 12. Also this year, there will

be girl's softball running on the same days.

On Saturday and Sunday, the Dwight Fire Department will have some displays for the kids.

The course goes past several lakes and through woodumc5k. ed areas.

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An audit of the funds of the Village of South Wilmington for the year ending April 30, 2018 has been completed by the audit firm of Mack & Associates, P.C., certified public accountants. A copy of the audit report has been filed with the Grundy County Clerk and is available for public inspection at the South Wilmington Village Hall, located at 380 Lake St., South Wilmington, Illinois 60474. If you would like to view the report, please contact Village Clerk Terry Schultz at (815) 237-0918.



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#### APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE VILLAGE OF ODELL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR

BEGINNING MAY 1, 2018, AND ENDING APRIL 30, 2019

BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Odell as follows:

SECTION I: That the following appropriation be and the same is hereby adopted for the purpose of defraying the necessary corporate expenses and liabilities of the Village of Odell for the fiscal year beginning May 1, 2018, and ending April 30, 2019, to wit: G 1

Salaries:	
Elected/Appointed Officials & Administratic	n \$ 55,200.00
Employee Insurance Benefits	49,700.00
General Corporate Expense:	
Maint/Supplies - Building	10,000.00
Professional Services	27,400.00
Communications	9,200.00
Professional Development	4,500.00
Electric Services/Street Lighting	5,000.00
Garbage	71,000.00
Corporate Insurance	28,500.00
Police	20,000.00
General Supplies	18,000.00
Capital Outlay	25,000.00
Streets/Alleys:	- ,
Salaries	34,500.00
Maint/Supplies - Building & Streets	60,000.00
Professional Services	8,000.00
Electric Service/Street Lighting	16,000.00
Maint/Supplies - Equip, Vehicle,	
Operations; Fuel	25,000.00
Capital Outlay	375,000.00
Motor Fuel Tax	42,000.00
IMRF	12,800.00
Social Security	14,000.00
Odell Tourism	192,200.00
Waterworks:	
Salaries	42,100.00
Maint/Supplies - Building & Utility System	70,000.00
Professional Service	3,500.00
Publishing/Postage	1,200.00
Dues/Travel/Professional Development	3,500.00
Electric Service/Pumpage	27,000.00
Maint/Supplies - Equip, Operations; Fuel	42,000.00
Interest	10,100.00
Capital Outlay	293,000.00
Litigation	100,000.00
Sewer Works:	
Salaries	40,900.00
Maint/Supplies - Building & Sewer System	35,000.00
Professional	6,000.00
Dues/Training	3,500.00
Electric Services/Sewer Plant	16,000.00
Maint/Supplies - Equip, Operations; Fuel	15,000.00
Interest Expense	-0-
Capital Outlay	145,000.00
TOTAL APPROPRIATION	\$ 1,956,800.00
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## **St. Paul School Registration July 30**

St. Paul School in Odell will hold registration for the 2018-19 academic year on Monday, July 30 from 10 a.m.-noon and 5-7 p.m. at the school, 300 S. West St., Odell. The school has openings in all grade levels, including all-day preschool and kindergarten.

Preference will be given to returning students, and

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school. Children  $2\frac{1}{2}$  and

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order to be considered for

### **Dwight Preschool Screening**

Dwight Early the preschool program at Learning Program is hosting Dwight Grade School. The screening will be a birth to 6-year-old developmental screening on August located at the Dwight 9. This is a play based Methodist Church screening in the areas of

on Thursday, August 9 from learning, motor, speech, and 8:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. If your child has been screened Children over the age of once before, and you have no three will have a screening developmental concerns, it is not necessary to have your It is recommended to have child rescreened.

a first come, first served

basis. Bus transportation is

available from Dwight,

Campus areas. Personal

tours are welcome and can

be arranged prior to registra-

small classes for preschool

through 8th grade, a

St. Paul School offers

tion for new families.

Odell and

Emington,

To schedule an appointment call the Dwight Early Learning Team at 584-6278 starting or 584-6254 Monday, July 30.

### 2018-2019 Registration **Dwight Grade School**

Registration for the School

upcoming school year is currently open for returning Redbird families and students. Please log onto Skyward Family Access to complete your students registration.

То Family on our new website, please take the following steps:

• Visit dwightk12.org

Click Schools and Dwight Grade select

Select Menu and click Family Access on (Parent/Guardian Login)

For New Student tration packet.

For any questions, please contact the school office at 815-584-6220.

#### **ORDINANCE**

WHEREAS, the State of Illinois has enacted "An Act regulating wages of laborers, mechanics, and other workers employed in any public works by the State, county, city, or any public body or any political subdivision or by any one under contract for public works," approved June 26, 1941, as amended, being Section 130/9, Chapter 820, Illinois Consolidated Statutes, 2000; and

WHEREAS, the aforesaid act requires that the Village of Odell, Livingston County, State of Illinois, investigate and ascertain the prevailing rates of wages as defined in said act for laborers, mechanics, and other workers in the locality of said Village of Odell employed in performing construction of public works for said Village of Odell, State of Illinois.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Odell, State of Illinois:

SECTION 1. To the extent and as required by "An Act regulating wages of laborers, mechanics, and other workers

other spaces will be filled on Catholic faith-based curriculum, safe learning environment, academic excellence, extracurricular opportunities, and affordable tuition. Scholarships are avail-

able. After discounts are applied, tuition can be as low as \$240 a month for one child. Tuition for a second child is only \$1,150 for the year, and tuition for a third child is only \$825 for the year.

All students entering preschool, kindergarten and sixth grade must have a health examination. All students entering sixth grade will be required to provide proof of Tdap and meningococcal vaccination.

Tuesday, August 7

**Registration** – starting at

Thursday, August 9

• Pre-K Screenings at the

Methodist Church - start-

ing at 8:30 a.m. (just north

Monday, August 13

• 5th-8th Grade schedule

pick-up and locker decora-

tion/class lists posted -

8:30 a.m.

of the school).

New/Late Student

Children entering kindergarten are required to have an eye exam by a licensed optometrist or opthalmologist. Dental exams are required for children entering kindergarten, second and sixth grades.

If a child in grades 5-8 will be participating in sports during the school year, a sports exam is required. Athletes will not be allowed to participate until an exam is on file. Transfer students must have health cards and records of immunizations sent to St. Paul.

For more information, call 815-998-2194 or email stpaulodell@frontier.com.

### **Important Dates at DGS Coming Up in August**

8:00 a.m. to noon.

Thursday, August 16 • Open House: Pre-K-4th Grade 5:00-6:00 p.m. -Meeting in the Gym, 5:00-5:15 p.m.; Open House, 5:15-6:00 p.m.; 5th-8th Grade 5:30-6:30 p.m. -Meeting in the Gym, 5:30-6:45 p.m.; Open House, 5:45-6:45 p.m.

Monday, August 20 • First Day of School.

### **Morris Hospital Diabetes Education Center Offers Carb Counting Class**

The Morris Hospital Diabetes Education Center is hosting a free Carbohydrate Counting class on Tuesday, August 14, from 3-4 p.m. in Whitman Assembly Room 2 at Morris Hospital, 150 W. High Street, Morris.

Taught by a registered dietitian, the class is a basic introduction to carbohydrate counting and provides information on healthful eating about "foods that fit" and how diet impacts blood sugar control. You do not have to have diabetes to attend.

Register online at morrishospital.org, or call 815-705-7527.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois

• Enter login information within Skyward Family Access to begin registration access Skyward Registration, stop by the school office for your regis-

SECTION II: This Ordinance shall be published in pamphlet form. ADOPTED AND PASSED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Odell on the 9th day of July, 2018.

Votes: Ayes 6 Nays 0

> Brian Mills - Acting Village President ATTEST: IRIS THORNE - Village Clerk

#### **CERTIFICATION**

I, IRIS THORNE, certify that I am the duly elected and acting municipal clerk of the Village of Odell, Livingston County, Illinois.

I further certify that on July 9, 2018, the Corporate Authorities of the above municipality passed and approved the Appropriation Ordinance for the Fiscal Year beginning May 1, 2018, and ending April 30, 2019, which provided by its terms that it should be published in pamphlet form.

The pamphlet form of the above referenced Appropriation Ordinance, including the Ordinance and a cover sheet thereof, was prepared, and a copy of the Ordinance was posted in the municipal building, commencing on the 10th day of July, and continuing for at least ten days thereafter. Copies of the Ordinance were also available for public inspection upon request in the office of the municipal clerk

Dated this 9th day of July, 2018.

#### **IRIS THORNE - CLERK**

#### <u>NOTICE</u>

Notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of July, 2018, the Board of Trustees of the Village of Odell adopted the Annual Appropriation Ordinance for the fiscal year beginning May 1, 2018, and ending April 30, 2019. A copy of said ordinance is published and on display at the office of the Village Clerk, 213 South Front Street, Odell, Illinois. The office hours of the Village Clerk are from 6:30 A.M. until 2:30 P.M., Monday through Friday.

> IRIS THORNE Village Clerk

employed in any public or any political subdivision or by any one under contract for public works," approved June 26, 1941, as amended, the general prevailing rate of wages in this locality for laborers, mechanics, and other workers engaged in construction of public works coming under the jurisdiction of the Village of Odell, State of Illinois, is hereby ascertained to be the same as the prevailing rate of wages for construction work in the Livingston County area as determined by the Department of Labor of the State of Illinois as of June 5, 2017 (the latest rates provided by the Department of Labor as of the date of this Ordinance), a copy of that determination being attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. The definition of any terms appearing in this Ordinance which are also used in the aforesaid act shall be the same as in said act.

SECTION 2. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to apply said general prevailing rate of wages as herein ascertained to any work or employment, except public works construction of the Village of Odell, State of Illinois, to the extent required by the aforesaid act.

SECTION 3. The Village Clerk shall publicly post or keep available for inspection by an interested party, in the Village Hall of the Village of Odell, this determination of such prevailing rate of wage.

SECTION 4. The Village Clerk shall promptly file a certified copy of this Ordinance with the Secretary of State of the State of Illinois.

SECTION 5. The Village Clerk shall cause to be published in a newspaper of general circulation within the Village a copy of this Ordinance, and such publication shall constitute notice that the determination is effective and that this is the determination of this public body.

PASSED THIS 09 day of July, 2018.

AYES: 6 NAYS: 0

Brian K. Mills

Attest: Iris Thorne Village Clerk APPROVED: Acting Village President

#### CERTIFICATION

I, Iris Thorne, certify that I am the duly elected and acting municipal clerk of the Village of Odell, Livingston County, Illinois.

I further certify that on July 09, 2018, the Corporate Authorities of the above municipality passed and approved the Prevailing Wage Ordinance, which provided by its terms that is should be published in pamphlet form.

The pamphlet form of the above referenced Prevailing Wage Ordinance, including the Ordinance and a cover sheet thereof, was prepared, and copy of the Ordinance was posted in the municipal building, commencing on the 10 day of July, and continuing for at least ten days thereafter. Copies of the Ordinance were also available for public inspection upon request in the office of the municipal clerk.

Dated this 09 day of July, 2018.

Iris Thorne - Clerk

Banking Corporation,	Plaintiff,	)
vs.		) No. 18-CH-40
BRIAN R. DUNN, FOR	REST REDI-MIX,	)
INC., an Illinois Corpora	tion, KELLY	)
ELECTRIC, INC., an Ill	inois Corporation,	)
and unknown owners and	d non-record	)
claimants,	Defendants.	)

#### **NOTICE**

Notice is given you Defendants, unknown owners and non record claimants, that this action has been commenced in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois, praying that a Judgment of Foreclosure be entered against real estate legally described as follows:

That part of the North Half of the Southwest Quarter of Section 13, Township 27 North, Range 6 East of the Third Principal Meridian, Livingston County, Illinois bounded and described as follows: Commencing at the Southeast Corner of said North Half of the Southwest Quarter, and running thence South 89 degrees 52 minutes 43 seconds West, along the South line of said North Half, 1286.30 feet to the point of beginning; thence North 00 degrees 07 minutes 17 seconds West, perpendicular to said South Line 1220.00 feet; thence South 79 degrees 39 minutes 51 seconds West 273.45 feet; thence South 00 degrees 07 minutes 17 seconds East 120.00 feet; thence South 53 degrees 33 minutes 53 seconds East 297.67 feet; thence South 00 degrees 07 minutes 17 seconds East 874.21 feet to said South line of the North Half; and thence North 89 degrees 52 minutes 43 seconds East, along said South line, 30.00 feet to the Point of Beginning.

PIN: 22-13-300-010

Commonly known as: 23277 E. 1225 North Road, Fairbury, IL 61739.

The title holder of record to the above described real estate is BRIAN R. DUNN. The mortgage sought to be foreclosed is a mortgage executed on March 30, 2016 and recorded on April 12, 2016 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois, as document No. 2016R-01316. The cause of action initiated by the Plaintiff, BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois Banking Corporation, against the Defendants in Case No. 18-CH-40 is currently pending. The attorney for the Plaintiff is Donald R. McClarey, McClarey Law Firm, 313 S. Prairie Ave., P.O. Box 9, Dwight, IL 60420-0009.

Consequently, unless you, unknown owners and non record claimants, file your answer to the complaint in this action or otherwise enter your appearance in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois, held in the Law & Justice Center in the City of Pontiac, Illinois, on or before August 15, 2018, a default may be entered against you at any time after that date and a judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of the Complaint.

Dated this 28th day of June, 2018.

LeAnn Dixon, Circuit Clerk Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois

## Dwight UMC Vacation Bible School



Ms. Stacy and shipmates listened to bible stories while attending VBS.



Kit, Brynn and Tayden, at left, posed for the camera during their shipwrecked journey adventure at the Dwight United Methodist Church.

The children enjoyed bible stories with Pastor Mike, storytime, crafts, Science experiments (below) and all around fun.

The mission project of the week was to collect seeds and send them to Haiti.







Emelia and Claire helped at the DUMC Shipwrecked Vacation Bible School.



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ORDINANCE NO. 2018-3

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#### AN ORDINANCE FIXING THE BUDGET AND MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE **REDDICK COMMUNITY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT** FOR FIRE PROTECTION AND AMBULANCE SERVICE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 2019

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of said REDDICK COMMU-NITY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT have prepared or caused to be prepared in tentative form, a Budget and Appropriation Ordinance, and the Secretary of this Board has made the same conveniently available for public inspection for at least thirty (30) days prior to the date hereof; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held as to such Budget and Appropriation Ordinance on June 19, 2018, and as said District lies within Kankakee, Livingston and Grundy Counties, Illinois, notice of said hearing was given at least thirty (30) days notice prior thereto by publication in a newspaper having general circulation within said REDDICK COMMUNITY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT, and all other legal requirements have been complied with.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE REDDICK COMMUNITY FIRE PROTEC-TION DISTRICT, in the Counties of Kankakee, Livingston and Grundy and State of Illinois:

SECTION 1: That the following Budget containing an estimate of revenues available and expenditures and the appropriations contained therein be and the same is hereby adopted as the Budget and Appropriations of said REDDICK COMMUNITY FIRE PROTEC-TION DISTRICT for this fiscal year; and the following sums of money, or as much thereof as may be authorized by law, is hereby appropriated to defray the necessary expenses and liabilities of the REDDICK COMMUNITY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT, for the fiscal year ending on April 30, 2019, for the respective objects and purposes, as hereinafter set forth, namely:

#### CORPORATE

#### ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Gastion nand
Taxes to be received in this fiscal year - corporate
Taxes to be received in this fiscal year - tort liability
Memorials and donations
Interest income
Training revenue
OSFM Small Tools and Equipment Grant
Home Depot Foundation Grant
FEMA AFG Grant (SCBA Equip.)
FEMA SAFER Grant (Recruitment & Retention)
FEMA AFG Grant (Regional Radio Equipment
Sale of Surplus Equipment

TOTAL ESTIMATED RECEIPTS		801,192.04
ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES	Budgeted	Appropriated
Apparatus and fuel	93,494.00	112,193.00
Building expense	37,700.00	45,241.00
Contractual services	12,100.00	14,520.00
Dues, licensing and subscriptions	3,000.00	3,600.00
Honors and recognition	500.00	600.00
Insurance	11,250.00	13,500.00
Loose equipment	11,000.00	13,200.00
Office operations	2,450.00	2,940.00
Radios/pagers	7,000.00	8,400.00
Recruitment/retention	420.00	504.00
New equipment reserve	26,250.00	31,500.00
Safety equipment	9,250.00	11,100.00
Salaries	6,300.00	7,560.00
Training	14,250.00	17,100.00
FEMA AFG Grant (SCBA Equip.)	160,080.00	160,080.00
FEMA SAFER Grant (Recruit./ Retention)	272,300.00	272,300.00
FEMA AFG Grant (Reg. Radio Equip.)	72,369.04	72,369.04
OSFM small tools & equipment grant	26,000.00	31,200.00
Home Depot foundation grant	5,000.00	6,000.00
TOTAL ESTIMATED EXPENSES	770,713.04	823,907.04
he foregoing appropriations are appropriated from th		sincluding
he general property tax for corporate purposes	a substant a very single services	

### **Duane Francois**

MAINE TOWNSHIP -Duane Francois, 70, of Maine Township passed away unexpectedly Tuesday, July 10, 2018 at his home.

Duane was born February 7, 1948 in Joliet, son of Leonard and Naomi Rentz Francois. He was raised on the family farm in Maine Township; graduated from Coal City High School; and went on to attend Joliet Junior College as well as the University of Illinois, where he studied Agriculture.

Duane farmed in Maine Township his entire life and was a member of the Coal City Area Club. He enjoyed biking and shooting pool, and was a collector of many things including gas engines and tractors. In recent years, he took great pleasure in caring for his cats.

Survivors include his sister, Lois Dyer of Maine sister-in-law, Township; Diane Francois of Braceville and Township; nieces Beth (Lyle) nephews: Dettman, Amy Grobstein (Debbie Cardinal), Janet Grobstein (Mike Cantrell),

More Obituaries appear on page 7.

### **LEGAL**

#### PRAIRIE CREEK PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT Annual Report of Receipts and Disbursements Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 2017 and Ending June 30, 2018

Cash Balance of All Funds July 1, 2017: \$14,490.77 Cash on Hand July 1, 2017: \$100,199.71

Receipts: July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018 Real Estate Taxes: \$204,773.39 Grants (RAILS & Per Capita): \$10,914.47 Internet Fees: \$136.60 Fax Fees: \$514.25 Non-Resident Fees: \$448.00 Book Fines: \$385.50 Video Fines \$668.20 New Card Fees: \$102.00 Book Lost Fees: \$211.00 Interest Income: \$284.12 Memorials & Gifts: \$2,466.36 Room Rental: \$50.00 Miscellaneous \$1,189.85 Hubert Trust \$316.69

Total Cash Receipts: \$222,460.43

#### **Disbursements:** (Minimum: \$2,500.00)

Expenses:

117,988.00 34,380.00

18,475.00

4,200.00

1,400.00

2,000.00

5,000.00

160,080.00

272,300.00

72,369.04

87,000.00

Amazon: \$5,718.97 AT&T: \$3,654.64 ComEd: \$7,238.81 Christine Churnovic: \$2,750.00 Demco: \$2,943.58 Edelman Electric: \$4,658.59 Gale/Cengage: Gumdrop Books: \$3,304.03 \$7.929.69 Hogan Designs: \$10,772.00 IHLS-OCIC: \$3,314.49 IMRF: \$4,405.87 Kris Spiezio: \$3,050.00 McCumsey Construction: MicroMarketing: \$7,220.00 Social Security: \$47,120.44 \$5.554.41 Tim's Painting \$11,440.00 Weller-Hooker Agency \$5,791.00

### **OBITUARIES**

Toni (Otis) Marechaux, Rhonda (Wayne) Wolfe, David (Laurie) Dyer, Darren (Kim) Francois and Darcie Francois; and several greatnieces and great-nephews; as well as cousins.

Duane was preceded in death by his parents; sister, Alice Grobstein; brother, Donald Francois; brother-inlaw, Ronald Dyer; and one nephew, Dean Francois.

The family received friends for a visitation the Assumption Catholic Friday, July 13, from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. at Reeves Funeral Home, Coal City, with a procession departing from the funeral home for graveside services in Braceville Gardner Cemetery, Braceville.

Preferred memorials may memory to his family for their distribution to local charities of their choosing.

Family and friends may sign the guestbook, upload photographs, or share Duane's memorial page online at: www.ReevesFune ral.com/notices/Duane-Fran cois

ODELL Charles O'Donnell, 86, of Odell passed away Tuesday, July 10, 2018 at Heritage Health in Dwight.

Visitation will be today, Wednesday, July 18, from 10:30 a.m. until the 11 a.m. Mass of Christian Burial in St. Paul Catholic Church, Odell.

Burial will be in St. Paul's Cemetery, Odell.

Charles was born in Odell May 5, 1932, son of Patrick and Rose Turner O'Donnell. He married Mary Highland June 23, 1956 in Odell. She passed away January 31, 2011.

He is survived by sons: Patrick (Debra) O'Donnell of Cullom; James O'Donnell of Dwight; and George (Lisa) O'Donnell of Salmon, Idaho; daughters: Veronica Olson of Dwight; Christina (Mel) Beck of Pontiac; and Rosemary (Tom) McCormick of Dwight; many nieces and nephews; many



BRACEVILLE Tracy Ritchard Broderick of Herrin passed away at 6:36 a.m., June 19, 2018, surrounded by his loving wife and children at the Shawnee Christian Nursing Center in Herrin.

Ritch retired after 37 with Caterpillar vears Tractor Co. in Joliet.

He was a member of Church in Coal City. He attended Morris High School in Morris. Ritch formed the first Braceville Little League and constructed the first Little League field in 1970. He continued to coach for 22 years. He loved coaching and fishing. be made as gifts in Duane's Later in life, he enjoyed going to the Hollywood Casino in Joliet.

> He donated his body to Science Care, in the hope of

> > Charles O'Donnell grandchildren; and great-

> > > grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife; parents; son, Stephen O'Donnell; brothers: Jerry, James, Robert and Raymond O'Donnell; a brother in infancy, Donald O'Donnell; and sisters,

Agnes Moore and Genny

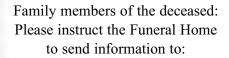
O'Donnell.

He was born and raised in Odell and attended St. Paul Catholic Grade School and High School, graduating in 1950. He worked as a plumber for more than 50 years for Dodson Plumbing and Heating. He was a member of St. Paul Catholic Church, Odell.

Memorials may be made to St. Paul Catholic School in Odell.

Online condolences may be made at hagermemorial.c om

Hager Memorial Home, Dwight, is in charge of arrangements.



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finding a cure for Alzheimer's disease. He lived at 801 E. Benson Street in Herrin, IL 62948 the last two months of his life. He and his wife lived in the village of Braceville for 50 years and loved

the village.

Ritch was married to Catherine Klegman October 27, 1960. He is survived by his loving wife, Catherine Broderick of Herrin; his sisters: Beverly Winterbottom and Betty Carver; and his three children: Christine Bell, Martin Broderick and Jessica Woodworth.

He has 10 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, James and Muriel Broderick; and his brothers: James, John, Jack, William and Robert.

AMBULANCE		
ESTIMATED RECEIPTS		
Cash on hand		110,000.00
Taxes received in this fiscal year		33,985.00
Ambulance billing		2,500.00
FEMA AFG Grant (SCBA Equipment)		40,020.00
FEMA SAFER Grant (Recruitment & Retention)		116,700.00
FEMA AFG Grant (Regional Radio Equipment)		48,246,00
Sale of surplus equipment		58,000.00
TOTAL ESTIMATED RECEIPTS		409,451.00
ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES	Budgeted	Appropriated
Apparatus and fuel	93,494.00	112,193.00
Building expense	37,700.00	45,241.00
Contractual services	12,100.00	14,520.00
Dues, licensing and subscriptions	3,000.00	3,600.00
Honors and recognition	500.00	600.00
Insurance	11,250.00	13,500.00
Loose equipment	11,000.00	13,200.00
Office operations	2,450.00	2,940.00
Radios/pagers	7,000.00	8,400.00
Recruitment/retention	420.00	504.00
Safety equipment	9,250.00	11,100.00
Salaries	6,300.00	7,560.00
Training	14,250.00	17,100.00
Capital Reserves	26,250.00	31,500.00
FEMA AFG Grant (SCBA Equip.)	40,020.00	40,020.00
FEMA SAFER Grant (Recruit & retention)	116,700.00	116,700.00
FEMA AFG Grant (Reg. Radio Equip.)	48,246.00	48,246.00
TOTAL ESTIMATED AMBULANCE EXPENDITURES	439,930.00	486,924.00

The foregoing appropriations are appropriated from the above revenue sources including the general property tax for ambulance purposes.

SECTION 2: It is estimated that no cash will be on hand at the end of said fiscal year.

SECTION 3: All unexpended balance of any item or items of any general appropriation made by this Ordinance may be expended in making up any deficiency in any item or items in the same general appropriation made by this Ordinance.

SECTION 4: All unexpended balance of any item or items of any general appropriation made by this Ordinance may be expended in making up any deficiency in any item or items in the same general appropriation made by this Ordinance.

SECTION 5: If any item or any portion thereof of this Ordinance shall for any reason be held invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

PASSED in lawful session of the Board of Trustees of said RED-DICK COMMUNITY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

> President, REDDICK COMMUNITY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

Attest:

SucBergen

Secretary, REDDICK COMMUNITY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

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#### Payroll Distribution: \$89,587.25

(Under \$25,000.00) Sharon Dial; Stefanie Dolan; Kimberlee Frauli; Letitia Handren; Lisa Marsh; Karen Palmer; Katie Rhodes; Joan Walsh Elling (\$25,000.00 to \$49,999.00) Sherrie Rhodes

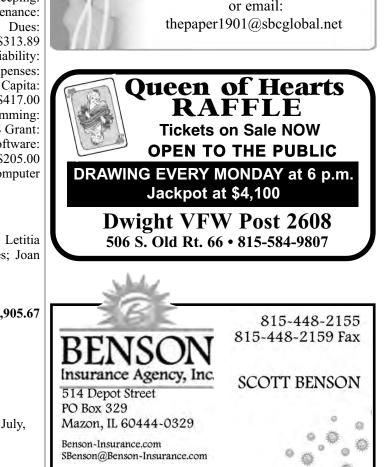
Total Disbursements: \$277,905.67

Total Revenue: \$337,150.91 Total Disbursements: \$277,905.67 Cash on Hand June 30, 2018: \$59,245.24

Prepared by: Sherrie Rhodes, Library Director Certified by Janet J. Drake, Treasurer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of July, A.D. 2018

Carol Dippon, Notary Public



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PRAIRIE CREEK PUB-LIC LIBRARY, Dwight, **Summer Reading Program** came to an end. The top readers for each age group earned prizes for their efforts. Katy, at left, was the top reader for the 4th-5th grade group. She was also the top scorer for the summer. Clara, center, was the top reader in the 2nd-3rd grade group. Owen, right, took the top spot for the K-1st grade reading group. Well done, all summer readers!



### **Summer Reading Program**





END OF SUMMER FUN at Prairie Creek Library. Boys and Girls enjoyed reading and selecting prizes from the end-of-summer store.



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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois Banking Corporation, Plaintiff, ) No. 18-CH-39 ALISSA WALKER, and unknown owners and non-record claimants,

Defendants.

#### NOTICE

Notice is given you Defendants, unknown owners and non record claimants, that this action has been commenced in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois, praying that a Judgment of Foreclosure be entered against real estate legally described as follows:

The West Half of Lot 4 and the East Half of Lot 5 in Block 8 of Marsh's Addition to Fairbury, in Livingston County, Illinois.

#### PIN: 25-03-331-002

Commonly known as 307 W. Hickory St., Fairbury, IL 61739

The title holder of record to the above described real estate is ALISSA WALKER. The mortgages sought to be foreclosed are a mortgage executed on June 27, 2011 and recorded on June 28, 2011 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois, as document No. 610150 and a modification of mortgage executed on July 21, 2014 and recorded on July 28, 2014 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois, as document No. 630079. The cause of action initiated by the Plaintiff, BANK OF PONTI-AC, an Illinois Banking Corporation, against the Defendants in Case No. 18-CH-39 is currently pending. The attorney for the Plaintiff is Donald R. McClarey, McClarey Law Firm, 313 S. Prairie Ave., P.O. Box 9, Dwight, IL 60420-0009.

Consequently, unless you, unknown owners and non record claimants, file your answer to the complaint in this action or otherwise enter your appearance in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois, held in the Law & Justice Center in the City of Pontiac, Illinois, on or before August 15, 2018, a default may be entered against you at any time after that date and a judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of the Complaint.

Dated this 26th day of June, 2018.

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#### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS VILLAGE OF DWIGHT ANNUAL AUDIT REPORT AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION

An audit of the funds of the Village of Dwight for the year ending March 31, 2018 has been completed by the audit firm of Mack & Associates, P.C., certified public accountants. A copy of the audit report has been filed with the Livingston County Clerk and is available for public inspection between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, at the Village Clerk's office located at 209 S. Prairie Ave., Dwight, IL.

Jill V. Haacke, Village Clerk

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF T	ГНЕ
ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT	
LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLIN	IOIS
BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois	)
Banking Corporation, Plaintiff,	)
VS.	) No. 18-CH-42
Unknown heirs of ROBERT H. SMITH,	)
Special Representative of Robert H. Smith,	)
Deceased, ERIN M. KOGER, Heir, HEIDI	)
K. PARKER, Heir, STATE OF ILLINOIS,	)
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, and	)
unknown owners and non-record claimants,	)
Defendants	)

#### **NOTICE**

Notice is given you Defendants, unknown heirs of ROBERT H. SMITH and unknown owners and non record claimants, that this action has been commenced in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois, praying that a Judgment of Foreclosure be entered against real estate legally described as follows:

Lots 95 and 96 in Fourth Addition to Illini Addition to the City of Pontiac, Livingston County, Illinois, as shown in Plat recorded November 9, 1978 in Plat Record 10 page 104 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Livingston County, Illinois

PIN: 15-23-205-003 and 15-23-205-004.

Commonly known as: 808 Seminole St., Pontiac, IL 61764.

The title holder of record to the above described real estate is the Estate of ROBERT H. SMITH. The mortgages sought to be foreclosed are a mortgage executed on February 6, 2006 and recorded on February 14, 2006 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois, as document No. 569472 and a Modification of Mortgage executed on February 3, 2015 and recorded on February 23, 2015 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois, as document No. 633044. The cause of action initiated by the Plaintiff, BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois Banking Corporation, against the Defendants in Case No. 18-CH-42 is currently pending. The attorney for the Plaintiff is Donald R. McClarey, McClarey Law Firm, 313 S. Prairie Ave., P.O. Box 9, Dwight, IL 60420-0009.

Consequently, unless you, unknown heirs of ROBERT H. SMITH and unknown owners and non record claimants, file your answer to the complaint in this action or otherwise enter your appearance in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois, held in the Law & Justice Center in the City of Pontiac, Illinois, on or before August 15, 2018, a default may be entered against you at any time after that date and a judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of the Complaint.

Dated this 29th day of June, 2018.

#### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois

Banking Corporation,	Plaintiff,	)
VS.		) No. 18-CH-38
DANIEL E. ORNDORF	F, and unknown	)
owners and non-record of	claimants,	)
	Defendants.	)

#### **NOTICE**

Notice is given you Defendants, unknown owners and non record claimants, that this action has been commenced in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois, praying that a Judgment of Foreclosure be entered against real estate legally described as follows:

Commencing at a point 120 feet East of the Southwest Corner of Block 2 of Ladd and McDowell's Addition to Pontiac, Livingston County, Illinois, and running thence East 52 feet to an alley, thence North 156 feet 111/2 inches, thence West 52 feet, thence South 156 feet and 111/2 inches to the place of beginning. Situated in Livingston County, Illinois.

PIN: 15-23-162-006

Commonly known as 613 E. Howard St., Pontiac, IL 61764.

The title holder of record to the above described real estate is DANIEL E. ORNDORFF. The mortgages sought to be foreclosed are a mortgage executed on July 5, 2012 and recorded on July 11, 2012 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois, as document No. 617185 and a modification of mortgage executed on July 10, 2015 and recorded on July 27, 2015 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois, as document No. 635436. The cause of action initiated by the Plaintiff, BANK OF PONTI-AC, an Illinois Banking Corporation, against the Defendants in Case No. 18-CH-38 is currently pending. The attorney for the Plaintiff is Donald R. McClarey, McClarey Law Firm, 313 S. Prairie Ave., P.O. Box 9, Dwight, IL 60420-0009.

Consequently, unless you, unknown owners and non record claimants, file your answer to the complaint in this action or otherwise enter your appearance in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois, held in the Law & Justice Center in the City of Pontiac, Illinois, on or before August 15, 2018, a default may be entered against you at any time after that date and a judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of the Complaint.

Dated this 26th day of June, 2018.

LeAnn Dixon, Circuit Clerk Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois

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#### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS

BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois	)
Banking Corporation, Plaintiff,	)
vs.	) No. 18-CH-41
ALEC C. DUROUSSEAU, VENUS R.	)
DUROUSSEAU, FINANCIAL	)
<b>RECOVERY SERVICES, INC., a</b>	)
Dissolved Illinois Corporation, and	)
unknown owners and non-record claimants,	)
Defendants.	)

#### **NOTICE**

Notice is given you Defendants, unknown owners and non record claimants, that this action has been commenced in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois, praying that a Judgment of Foreclosure be entered against real estate legally described as follows:

The East Half of Lot 6 in Block 1 in Cleary's Second Addition to Pontiac, in Livingston County, Illinois.

PIN: 15-22-216-009

Commonly known as: 801 N. Mill St., Pontiac, IL 61764.

The title holders of record to the above described real estate are ALEC C. DUROUSSEAU and VENUS R. DUROUSSEAU. The mortgages sought to be foreclosed are a mortgage executed on September 19, 2008 and recorded on September 25, 2008 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois, as document No. 589625 and a Modification of Mortgage executed on September 23, 2013 and recorded on October 7, 2013 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois, as document No. 625725. The cause of action initiated by the Plaintiff, BANK OF PONTI-AC, an Illinois Banking Corporation, against the Defendants in Case No. 18-CH-41 is currently pending. The attorney for the Plaintiff is Donald R. McClarey, McClarey Law Firm, 313 S. Prairie Ave., P.O. Box 9, Dwight, IL 60420-0009.

Consequently, unless you, unknown owners and non record claimants, file your answer to the complaint in this action or otherwise enter your appearance in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois, held in the Law & Justice Center in the City of Pontiac, Illinois, on or before August 15, 2018, a default may be entered against you at any time after that date and a judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of the Complaint.

Dated this 26th day of June, 2018.

LeAnn Dixon, Circuit Clerk Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois

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#### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois Banking Corporation, Plaintiff,

VS. ROCHELLE L. GADBERRY, n/k/a ROCHELLE L. TOMLISON, and unknown ) owners and non-record claimants,

Defendants.

) No. 18-CH-37

#### **NOTICE**

Notice is given you Defendants, unknown owners and non record claimants, that this action has been commenced in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois, praying that a Judgment of Foreclosure be entered against real estate legally described as follows:

Lot 6 and the North Half of Lot 5 in Block 3 in Gray and Carse's Addition to Graymont, Livingston County, Illinois.

PIN: 14-20-429-002

Commonly known as 209 Washington St., Graymont, IL 61743.

The title holder of record to the above described real estate is ROCHELLE L. GADBERRY, n/k/a ROCHELLE L. TOMLISON. The mortgages sought to be foreclosed are a mortgage executed on February 23, 1998 and recorded on March 2, 1998 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois, as document No. 498814 and a modification of mortgage executed on January 8, 2016 and recorded on February 9, 2016 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois, as document No. 2016R-00546. The cause of action initiated by the Plaintiff, BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois Banking Corporation, against the Defendants in Case No. 18-CH-37 is currently pending. The attorney for the Plaintiff is Donald R. McClarey, McClarey Law Firm, 313 S. Prairie Ave., P.O. Box 9, Dwight, IL 60420-0009.

Consequently, unless you, unknown owners and non record claimants, file your answer to the complaint in this action or otherwise enter your appearance in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois, held in the Law & Justice Center in the City of Pontiac, Illinois, on or before August 15, 2018, a default may be entered against you at any time after that date and a judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of the Complaint.

Dated this 26th day of June, 2018.

LeAnn Dixon, Circuit Clerk Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois

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Wednesday, July 18, 2018







### At the Churches

#### hours; 8 p.m., AA meeting. • JULY 22: 9:15 a.m., Fellowship Breakfast; 9 a.m., Faith Development for all ages; 10:30 a.m., Worship with Holy

potluck in lower level after Emington Congregational. August 3 in downtown *Pontiac on the square.* 

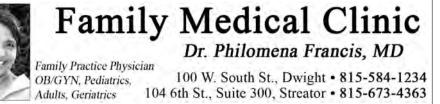
• JULY 21: 9 - 10 a.m., • JULY 22: 10:30 a.m.,

• JULY 18: 2:30 - 5:30 hours; 3 p.m., Worship • JULY 20: 2:30 - 5:30

**EMINGTON** Emington Congregational **United Church** of Christ 103 Division Street Rev. Grant Speece • JULY 22: Worship, 8:45 a.m. Guest preacher: Brian Clary DATE TO REMEMBER: July 29 - Annual Picnic/ potluck at First Congregational, Dwight, after church service July Food Pantry Collection: Macaroni and cheese "July Mission of the Month" - Strengthen the Church.



# PROFESSIONAL MEDICAL





Communion. • JULY 23: 9 a.m.,

• JULY 24: 9 a.m.,

quilting; 2:30 - 5:30

p.m., Church office

hours; 4:30 - 6 p.m.,

Assistance Ministries.

• JULY 25: "Epistle"

deadline; 2:30 - 5:30

p.m., Church office

**BRACEVILLE** 

**Braceville United** 

Methodist Church

815-237-8512 Church

815-483-9343 Cell

bracevilleumc.com

Pastor Karen Fabian

Service.

Area

• 10:30 a.m., Sunday

• JULY 21: 5K Run in

State Fish and Wildlife

Mazonia-Braidwood

106 W. Goold St

quilting.

hours.



The weather recently was perfect for Aubrey (5) and Riley (3) Watts of Dwight, to play on all the fun equipment at Spencer Park in Dwight. They are the daughters of Lauren and Jake Watts and granddaughters of Deb Fisher, also of Dwight.



## South Wilmington *Party In The Park* Schedule for July 27-29

Friday, July 27: 4:30 - Register for Home Run Derby 5:00 - Home Run Derby Contest 5-9:00 - Bounce House (13 & under) 6:00 – Food Vendors Open ----Beer Tent Opens Baby Contest Starts (Nina 815-252-4335) 6:00 - Sidewalk Chalk Contest (Ages up to 4th grade last school vear) 6:00 – Volleyball Tournament (9th Grade and up) (Questions or to register call Stacy 815-295-5338) 6-8:00 – Kids Games (SWGS Student Council) Dancers 7:00-10:00 - BINGO 7-11:00 - DJ/Karaoke -Axeman Studios ---- Big Wheel TBA - Blood Pressure Checks w/Cindy Schultz Saturday, July 28: 7:30 - Register for 5K Run(at park) (Amber 815-252-2530) 8:30 – 5K Run TBA - Blood Pressure Checks w/Cindy Schultz 9:00 - Food Vendors Open ---Baby Contest Voting Open

10:00 - Craft Show (Angie 237-8003) 10:00 - Talent Show (Megan Winchell 815-823-7524) 10:00 - Volleyball Tournament (9th Grade and up) (Questions or to register call Stacy (815)295-5338 11:00 – Weigh in Kiddie Tractor Pull 11:30 - Kiddie Tractor Pull (Sponsored by Sistek Sales) 12:00 – Beer Tent Opens 12-6:00 - So. Wilmington Historical Museum Open 12-2:00 – Strawberri the Clown 1-3:00 - Root Beer Floats (Served by First Midwest Bank) 1:30 - Pam's Forté Arts Center 2:00 – Jr. Pantherettes & Pantherette Spiritline 3:00-7:00 - Bingo 4:30-7:30 - "Getinanys" Music 7:00 - Big Wheel Opens 8-12 – Music- Ethan Bell Band Sunday, July 29: 8-4:00 – Tractor Show (Jimmy 237-0918) 9-5:00 - Craft Show (Angie 237-8003) 10:00 - Donuts & Coffee 10:00 - Happy Daisy Mommy & Me Happy Camper Paint

Party (Sign up on Facebook) 10:30 – Church Service (Pastor Jan Chandler) 11:15 – Adult Tractor Pull (14 & Up - \$5 entry fee) 12-3:00 – So. Wilmington Historical Museum Open 12:00 – Spaghetti Dinner by Sheriff Kevin Callahan 12:00 – Beer Tent Opens 12:200 – Beer Sale, SWCC

12-2:00 – Bake Sale SWGS Student Council 12:15-3:15 – Dixie Rose Band

12:30 – Kiddie Water Fights (SW Fire Dept) 12:30 – Bingo Opens 2:00 – Kids Bike Parade Sports

Theme 2:30 – Baby Contest Winner Announced -Raffle Drawings 3:15 – Dedication of Greenfield Township Memorial

4:00 – Tractor Parade

(after Memorial dedication) 4:00 – Hometown Parade (line up at Parish Hall following

Memorial dedication) ALL 3 DAYS

Food Vendors, Crafters, Beer Garden, Bingo, Raffle Tickets (raffle items include a Yeti cooler and 50/50 buttons.

An ATM will be available at the park this year.



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